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FORECAST for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; continued warm; light east winds.

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 76 deg.; minimum, 58 deg. Wind 5 a.m. north, velocity 8 miles 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. At midnight the temperature was 63 deg.; partly cloudy.

TODAY: At 3 a.m. the temperature was 59 deg.; partly cloudy.

FORECAST for San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; light north winds.

[The complete Weather Report, including comparative temperatures will be found on page 8.]

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TURKISH CUSTOMS DUTIES.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 21.—The proposed increase in the Turkish customs duties has been accepted in principle by the governments of the six great powers, on condition that the revenue so derived shall be devoted to carrying out reforms. It is understood that Turkey in soliciting their assent to the increase undertook to accept the Austro-Russian scheme for reforms of the finances of Macedonia.

TAKING OUT BODIES OF BURIED MINERS.

First of the Corpses Recovered Were Mangled and Disfigured.

Many so Bruised and Discolored That White Men Cannot be Told from Negroes—One Victim is Found Barely Alive—Foul Gases Make Work of the Exploring Party Most Difficult.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BIRMINGHAM (Ala.) Feb. 21.—The scene at the Virginia Mine, this afternoon, where a terrific after-damp explosion yesterday afternoon imprisoned 116 men 700 feet below the surface, was the most grewsome and harrowing that has ever been witnessed in this section of Alabama. Of the miners who entered the mine yesterday afternoon, so far about fifty bodies have been recovered. The recovery, already, of so many dead bodies precludes the idea that any living men remain among the unfortunates still in the mine.

FRIGHTFULLY MANGLED.

The corpses are frightfully mangled and disfigured, and dentification is almost impossible. Many of them are so badly bruised and twisted and discolored that negroes cannot be told from white men.

One hundred families and three hundred children are left destitute and without means of support by the calamity, and they are of the best class of mining families in Alabama. The bodies of the victims, which in many cases have been gathered together in pieces and brought to the surface, are placed in rows on a rough platform, and tonight ambulances began the removal of those so far recovered to Bessemer.

The excavation of the debris has been hampered. The foul gases which had collected in the stope made necessary the use of safety lamps, and it was found that less than a score of safety lamps were available in the district. Union miners went to the scene from practically all the mining camps within a radius of twenty-five miles to aid in the work of rescue.

Out of the bodies recovered up to this time, one was found about 4 o'clock, which was barely alive. The body was carefully taken from the mine, and heroic methods resorted to to bring the man to consciousness. He is still alive, but scant hope is held out for his recovery.

President Flynn of the Alabama Mine Workers, said to the Associated Press tonight: "I shall be surprised if a single person escapes alive from that mine. Ventilation is very difficult, and if the men were not killed by the explosion, they certainly have been suffocated by the gases. The bodies so far recovered were in the main stope, and it will be several days before we can get to the rooms which branch off from the main stope."

MAN'S HEAD IN BASKET.

One of the most grewsome sights witnessed today was a man's head being carried out of the mine in a dinner basket. It was found in this position, and the flesh was almost entirely burned away from the skull. Legs, arms and mangled trunks were brought out in succession. After the fall, the entrance to the mine was converted into a veritable chamber of horrors, the awfulness of which was intensified by the flickering of the lamps as the feeble rays fell upon the mangled and bleeding fragments of human flesh strewn about the entrance. Many stout-hearted men who had been assisting in the work of rescue were forced to give up the task, and numerous persons have fainted upon seeing the ghastly array of bodies.

Mine Boss Reed is confident that more than one hundred of the men in the mine were white, and believes all perished. He knows the rooms in which each man was working, and this information in many cases is the only means of identification, so horribly are the bodies disfigured.

160 DEAD

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 21.—It is now stated positively that 160 men were in the mine at the time of the explosion, and not the slightest hope is held out that one of them will live to tell of the disaster.

SEASON OF FLOODS.

Greater Part of the River System of the United States Frozen and the Warm Rains Will Bring Overflows.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As the result of a remarkably long period of extreme cold throughout the country, accompanied by record-breaking snowstorms, the greater part of the river system of the United States is more or less solidly frozen. The season of thaws and warm rains is almost here, and the prospect of wholesale floods and freshets from one end of the country to the other is giving serious and deep concern to the officials of the United States Weather Bureau.

While not desiring to alarm the public unnecessarily, the government weather forecaster admits that the situation is fraught with much danger. Nothing but rare good luck can avert a disaster, for the conditions are all favorable for rapid thaws and warm rains. The weather officials are keeping the closest watch on the situation, and are prepared to telegraph warnings to threatened communities at the first sign of a break. Several preliminary warnings have been sent out already, explaining the danger and necessity for taking every precaution.

"All that is needed," said Forecaster Frankenfield of the Weather Bureau today, "to break up the ice and send it down the various rivers to form huge gorges is a warm rain or a couple of days of high temperature. On the other hand, normal weather for the next three weeks will bring us through without trouble. By normal weather, I mean relatively low temperature at nights, so that it will freeze slightly, and rising temperature during the day, that will thaw the ice and snow steadily, but not too suddenly."

FORGED SIGNATURE.

Ex-Gov. Wells of Utah Testifies That He Accused John I. Cannon of the Offense.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALT LAKE (Utah) Feb. 21.—That the signature of former Gov. Heber M. Wells was forged to orders aggregating $100 was brought out today before the legislative committee, which is investigating the deficit in the finances of the Utah World's Fair Commission. Ex-Gov. Wells testified that he had accused the secretary of the fair commission, John Q. Cannon, with committing the forgery, but the latter had answered equivocally. Secretary Cannon has apparently left the city, and his whereabouts are unknown.

Cannon is a son of the late George Q. Cannon, former president of the Mormon church. He is a brother-in-law of Gov. Wells, and has held many positions of prominence in the State. Until recently he was brigadier-general of the Utah National Guard. It is understood that the relatives of Cannon have paid the amount of the forged orders to the treasurer of the fair commission.

SPAIN'S NEW NAVY.

Five Hundred Millions of Pesetas to be Expended on Ships and Re-arming Coast Defenses.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADRID, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The government will raise a loan to carry out its naval programme without increasing taxation. The scheme involves the expenditure of 500,000,000 pesetas. It was temporarily abandoned after its inception, but has now been taken up again.

It aims at the establishment of a strong navy, with vessels of latest types, rearmament of coast defenses and naval bases in the Canary and Balearic Islands.

TO PROTECT SISTER.

Object of Fred K. Barbour, Who is Said to Have Arrived in Los Angeles Yesterday.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James F. Barbour today received a telegram from his son, Fred K. Barbour, announcing the latter's arrival at Los Angeles, where his sister, formerly the wife of Capt. George Cochran Broome of Brooklyn, is a resident. Barbour left Washington last week to join his sister, in order to protect her from annoyances and possible violence, it is said, from Capt. Broome. She has been at Los Angeles several months, having gone there for rest and quiet, after her exciting and distressing experiences of the past year. Her whereabouts is kept secret, owing to fear that Capt. Broome, despite the fact that they were divorced last November, might appear and subject her to annoyances. The Barbours, a short time ago, received word that Capt. Broome had arrived at Los Angeles and was disturbing his former wife.

Young Barbour is a strapping fellow, with a reputation as a football player and athlete generally, and since he joined his sister her parents no longer fear about her safety. Recently old friends of the Barbours, Charles Byram a wealthy Chicago man, his sister and mother, arrived at Los Angeles, and Mrs. Broome naturally associated with them. This fact excited the jealousy of Capt. Broome and he made threats against Byram.

It is feared that Broome intends to kidnap Josephine, their only child.

Not to be Found.

A search for Fred K. Barbour and his sister in Los Angeles last night failed of results. The young man had left, no address at the telegraph offices, nor was he registered at any of the downtown hotels.

OBERLIN BANK CASES.

Two Additional Indictments Against Mrs. Chadwick and Spear and Beckwith Also Charged.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CLEVELAND, Feb. 21.—The Federal grand jury, late this afternoon, reported two additional indictments against Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick in connection with operations of the closed bank of Oberlin. A. B. Spear of the Oberlin Bank was indicted on the charge of misapplying $80,000 of the bank's money August 24, 1903; also issuing two drafts of the Importers' and Traders' National Bank of New York on the same date for $50,000 and $30,000 respectively and making false entries in the bank's books.

Mrs. Chadwick, alias "C. L. Chadwick," alias "Madame Devere," was indicted for aiding and abetting the said A. B. Spear, cashier of the Citizens' National Bank of Oberlin in all of said offenses.

Another indictment charges Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, alias "Madame Devere," with conspiring with C. T. Beckwith, president, and A. B. Spear, cashier of the Citizens' National Bank of Oberlin, to commit offenses against the United States. This refers to the bank officials certifying checks drawn by Mrs. Chadwick, when, it is alleged, she had no funds on deposit.

There are now seven indictments against Mrs. Chadwick in the United States District Court. There are also three in the State court.

FIGHT OF PEOPLE.

Oil Trust Attacked in Illinois.

Loan of Hundred Thousand Dollars for Kansas is Favored by House.

New York World Says the President Wants the Standard Punished.

Cabinet Considers Proposed Lease of Oil Rights on Indian Lands.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World says that when the President visits Texas next month he will personally take a hand in the Standard Oil investigation. He will request some of the largest producers in the Beaumont fields to call on him and talk over the situation. The President has been requested by telegram by the Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives to extend the inquiry to that State.

The President said today that the instructions that Corporation Commissioner Garfield had received would not only apply to Kansas, but to every other section of the country where the Standard Oil Company has an interest. The President's investigation of Standard Oil is now fully under way, and nineteen special agents of the Bureau of Corporations are in the field securing evidence on which to base the criminal prosecution of the trust. The President is not content to leave the investigation to the subordinates of departments. He insists that the Standard Oil Company is a violator of the law, and that it shall be punished.

The World says that in discussing the matter today, the President said he would be satisfied to close his administration with the successful "busting" of the Standard Oil trust. So anxious is the President to make a case against the Standard Oil Company that he will use every branch of the government in the investigation.

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Illinois today swung into the column of States lined up in hostile array against the Standard Oil Company, through the action of the House of Representatives in adopting two resolutions directed against the great oil combine.

"As a preliminary to test the spirit of the House, I rise to present a resolution," declared Representative Allen, sending to the clerk a drastic resolution seeking to grant a loan of $100,000 to Kansas to aid in the establishment of a State system of refineries as a move in its warfare on Standard Oil.

A resolution introduced by Representative McGoorty a moment later provides for the appointment of a commissioner to investigate the status of the Standard Oil pipe line now under construction across Illinois.

Allen's resolution was adopted by a viva voce vote, the Republicans supporting it solidly, while the Democratic side shouted disapproval. The resolution is of no force without similar action by the Senate, and the prediction was freely made that it will not be heard from in the upper house.

The resolution by Representative McGoorty asks a joint committee to be named by the Senate and House to confer and communicate with the Kansas Legislature and the Kansas State officers, to secure information to enable the Illinois General Assembly "to safeguard and protect the people of this State and its commercial interests."

Interest in the Kansas oil warfare is increased through the fact that not only a number of legislators and ex-members have money invested in the oil fields of the Southwest, but a small army of politicians and their business associates throughout the State are extensive oil producers. This is more largely true in the country districts than is the case in Cook county. One group, headed by Robert Oglesby, a son of the old war Governor, and which includes a number of Springfield, Bloomington, Chi-

cago and country men, has already had its plant thrown into idleness after the investment of large sums of money. A number of similar enterprises are owned in Illinois, for the greater part by men in public life.

The pipe line attacked in the resolution is said to be complete as far as Galesburg, Ill. It is intended to complete a chain of pipe lines controlled by the Standard Oil, or under construction by that company, or in immediate prospect, connecting Port Arthur, Tex., with the Ohio and other eastern oil fields, via Hammond, Ind.

CONSIDERED BY CABINET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Careful consideration was given today by the President and the Cabinet to the proposed extension of the ten-year-lease of oil rights on the Osage Indian lands in Oklahoma. Both the President and Secretary Hitchcock have received in letters and in telegrams protests against the extension of the leases, because it is urged the oil rights practically are controlled by the oil trust. Many of these protests have come from Kansas, one being received by the President today from the Kansas Legislature.

It has been decided, with the approval of the Cabinet, that it would be unjust to some of the lessees, who have acquired vested rights under contract with the Indians not to extend the lease. Secretary Hitchcock told the Cabinet it was not true that the 680,000 acres agreed upon under the proposed renewal included all of the oil lands in the Osage reservation. He said it was quite likely all of the lands contained oil.

The subject of the proposed investigations of the operations of the oil operators in the Kansas field was discussed, but no definite conclusions further than those already announced were reached. The investigation will be conducted by the Bureau of Corporations, under the direction of Commissioner Garfield. His report will be made to the President for transmission to Congress later. It is quite certain that if the facts developed by the inquiry should warrant action by the government, the matter will be brought by the President to the attention of the Department of Justice.

OSAGE RESERVATION LEASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The Secretary of the Interior today received from the Kansas Legislature a telegram signed by the Lieutenant-Governor and the Speaker of the House, giving the resolution adopted by that body protesting against the continuance of the Foster blanket lease of oil and gas lands in the Osage reservation in Indian Territory.

The original lease given to E. B. Foster for a period of ten years, the statement says, was approved contrary to the wishes of the Indians. The statement asks that the President have an investigation made to disclose all the facts; that those for whom it speaks have been obliged to fight their battles alone, and that they have been unable to secure the consent to employ assistance, which can be done only with the consent of the department.

William T. Lethy, a member of the Council of the Osage Indian tribe, in a statement given out today, says the Indians are opposed to the renewal of the oil lease on their lands upon the existing terms, and are protesting against a renewal.

OKLAHOMA'S MEMORIAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GUTHRIE (Okla.) Feb. 21.—By a vote of 15 to 10 the lower house of the Legislature tonight passed a joint resolution, introduced this afternoon by Senator Decker, memorializing the President to investigate the blanket lease of the lands of the Osage nation, a part of Oklahoma, held by the Indian Territory Oil Illuminating Company, commonly believed, as the resolution states, to be a representative of the Standard Oil Company. It is expected the resolution will pass the upper house tomorrow.

KANSAS AND TRUSTS.

SENATORS TO INVESTIGATE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 21.—In the Senate today, F. D. Smith introduced a resolution appointing a committee of two Representatives and one Senator to become a committee of investigation. This committee is for the purpose of investigating the trusts of various kinds.

It was also resolved that the committee shall make one of its members a chairman, also to secure a stenographer and a sergeant-at-arms after adjournment of the present Legislature. The committee shall publish notice of meetings in the newspapers, and at the close of their work they shall make a summary, to be filed with the Governor and to be given to the newspapers not later than March, 1906.

OHIO'S ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Feb. 21.—Former Attorney-General Frank Monett will leave for Kansas tomorrow night for the purpose of investigating the oil situation there for the American Anti-Trust Association of Chicago.

CLEAN SWEEP WANTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 21.—The sentiment in favor of making a clean sweep of the corporations in Kansas is growing. Today, a resolution was introduced in the Senate providing for an investigation of the following alleged combines: The beef, grain, implement, milling and lumber. The evidence gained in the investigation will be presented to the Governor and Attorney-General for action. The Standard Oil Company will be closely watched in the meantime.

C. A. Walsh of Ottumwa, Iowa, a former Secretary of the Democratic National Committee is here representing William R. Hearst, whose plan, it is said, is to bring proceedings against the Standard under the Sherman Anti-Trust Law.

Kansas officers have today received assurances that the Legislatures of Illinois, Colorado, Texas, Oklahoma and California were strongly in favor of the oil campaign being waged in Kansas.

OIL STOCK DECREASES.

CURB BROKERS EXCITED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch. For the first time in two years, Standard Oil stock decreased today to $595 a share. It closed last night at $610. The stock has declined from $646 a share in a week because of the Federal inquiry into the Standard Oil Company and the fight being waged against the "system" in Kansas, Texas and other States. The stock opened today at $607 and had broken to $600 a share by noon. It dropped to $595 during the afternoon, and closed at $600.

About one hundred shares were dealt in today, a large amount for Standard Oil. Curb brokers were greatly excited by the continual decline in stock. There is $100,000,000 of Standard Oil stock outstanding, and brokers estimate that the shrinkage in the stock makes a reduction in market value of from $30,00,000 to $40,000,000 since the culmination of the Kansas war on the company and the President's announcement of possible criminal prosecution.

LAWSON'S CHALLENGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.) Thomas W. Lawson has challenged James M. Beck, Standard Oil counsel, to joint debate on Standard Oil "crimes" at Faneuil Hall, donating the proceeds to the International League of Press Clubs.

OBITUARY.

The Earl of Southesk.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The Earl of Southesk (James Carnegie) died today. He was born in 1827.

Gen. L. G. Estes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Gen. L. G. Estes, commander of the Medal of Honor Legion and a prominent officer in the Army of the Potomac, died here of pneumonia today.

Sheriff R. J. Langford.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 21.—Sheriff R. J. Langford died early this morning. Coroner Kell, as provided by law, has assumed the office temporarily and recommissioned all the deputies. He will act until the Supervisors appoint Langford's successor.

Anthony Huddleson.

TRIMBELLE (Wis.) Feb. 21.—Anthony Huddleson, aged 101 years, the first white settler in Pierce county, is dead at the home of his grandson, near here. Huddleson was a direct descendant of the family of which Daniel Boone was a member.

SENTENCE INDIAN DESERTERS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Castle William, an old military prison on Governor's Island, has received a quartette of Seneca Indians, three of them in school days famous athletes of the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa. The redmen, who began to serve terms for desertion from the army, are Glen Pierce, a few years ago one of the tackles on a Carlisle football team, Wallack Dockstader, one of the best shortstops the Indian school ever produced; Luke Abren, a star pitcher four years ago; and Morris Lee, a Seneca boy who was not so fortunate as to get a chance to distinguish himself at the Indian school. All the Indians were sentenced by a court-martial that recently sat at Fort Porter, near Buffalo, to serve one year each. They deserted from the First Infantry, garrisoning that post.

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	40	26
	52	34
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WITTMAN WANTS SPEEDY TRIAL.

CHARGES AGAINST POLICE CHIEF

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Chief of Police Wittman was served with a copy of the complaint in which the Board of Police Commissioners of this city sets worth in specific form charges of incompetency and neglect of duty against him.

The main charge of incompetency is based upon the allegation that although Chief Wittman was in control of the Chinese quarter and empowered to suppress unlawful gambling there, that the games flourished and that gambling places were conducted and maintained openly with the alleged knowledge of the police squad in charge of the district.

Wittman declares his readiness to answer to the charges made in the complaint and will insist upon a speedy trial.

THREE OVERDUE VESSELS.

ALL ARE ACCOUNTED FOR.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—The Merchants' Exchange has received advices regarding three overdue vessels.

The German steamer Abydos, which sailed October 7 for Hamburg and recently was reported ashore at Osorno Bay, has been towed to Buenos Ayres, to remain until the owners have paid $15,000 salvage.

The British ship Halwood has arrived at Callao from Vancouver, with the loss of part of her deckload. The Halwood was out 127 days and 20 per cent. reinsurance was quoted on her.

The steamer Maine has arrived at Durban, South Africa, leaking badly, having struck a rock. Her cargo is being discharged.

FLIRTED WITH BUCKETSHOPS.

EX-CITY TREASURER SHORT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EVERETT (Wash.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George Holcomb, City Treasurer of Everett for two years, retiring last month, is short in his accounts with the city about $11,500, according to oral report made by S. E. Thayer.

Holcomb lost the money, it is alleged, in speculating with bucket shops. The City Council has directed the City Clerk to notify the surety company on Holcomb's bond of the shortage. Holcomb, aided by relatives, has been trying to raise money with which to liquidate the alleged shortage. They have raised about $6000, and are endeavoring to secure the balance. Holcomb lives with his parents, conducting a dairy. He was married eight months ago. The entire alleged shortage was made during the last year in office.

LAND AND TIMBER FRAUDS.

CALIFORNIA INDICTMENTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—The Federal grand jury completed its labors today in the land and timber frauds in the Redding district, and presented an indictment against Harry W. Miller, Frank E. Kincart and William H. Boren, charging them with subornation of perjury.

Miller is under indictment by the United States grand jury of Oregon for a similar offense, alleged to have been committed in that State. Kincart is under arrest in Portland, and Boren is in the hands of the United States Marshal of the district.

BOULDERS ROLL ON TRACKS.

ESPEE TRAINS IN DANGER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 21.—The Southern Pacific Company has had an extra force of track walkers along its line between here and the summit, guarding against rolling boulders. The warm rains have loosened the embankments to such an extent that boulders are rollinp on the track. A wreck of the east-bound flyer was narrowly averted near Boca last night. A rock weighing 500 pounds had rolled onto the track on a sharp curve and at a point where the engineer could not see it. A track walker found the obstruction and with the aid of a crowbar moved it from the track just as the fast train came in sight. Since that time several others have been found and removed.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Box Car Burglar.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—For breaking into a box car, in company with two others, and drinking eighty-nine pint bottles of beer, John Lane was sent to San Quentin prison from Judge Hart's department of the Superior Court this morning for a term of seven years. Lane pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary.

San Francisco Saloon Held up.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Two men held up the saloon of James Hood, at the corner of Twenty-fourth and Noe streets last night. The thieves beat the proprietor and a customer into unconsciousness when resistance was offered. One of the robbers, who gave the name Edward Welsh, was arrested. The thieves got away with only a small amount of coin.

Japs Relieved of Their Coin.

SALINAS, Feb. 21.—At 11 o'clock last night two men appeared at a Japanese cabin in San Miguel Cañon and awakened the occupants. While one kept the Japanese at bay with a shotgun, his companion relieved them of about $70 and their clothing. The officers this morning tracked the men to a small hut about half a mile from the scene of the robbery. They proved to be young men named Dow and Freeman, who came from San Francisco about two months ago. Both were arrested.

Weber Jury Retires for Night.

AUBURN, Feb. 21.—The Weber jury at midnight has just called for beds and is about to retire for the night.

Los Gatos Dentist Arrested.

PALO ALTO, Feb. 21.—John A. Rice, a dentist of Los Gatos, was today arrested here on the charge of practicing dentistry without a State license.

Gov. Chamberlain Pardons Chinese.

SALEM (Or.) Feb. 21.—Gov. Chamberlain today granted a full pardon to Wong Gee, a Chinese serving a life sentence for murder committed in Union county in October, 1898. The pardon was granted at the request of Prince Kang Yu Wei, secretary to the Emperor of China, who is touring this country on an inspection of institutions.

Heavy Rains Ruin Ice Crop.

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 21.—Heavy rains and a warm temperature during the past few days have resulted in ruining the ice crop in the Sierra Nevada Mountains. The loss to the ice men, figuring at $1.50 per ton, will amount to about $75,000. The crop will be about forty thousand tons short, but the hold-over crop of 30,000 tons will furnish enough, it is thought, to handle the California fruit crop the coming season.

Harvard Man for Stanford.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 21.—Announcement was made today that Dr. William James, professor of psychology at Harvard University, will be at the head of the philosophy department of Stanford University next year. Prof. James has obtained leave from Harvard for a year for the purpose of establishing the philosophy department at Stanford, which has been dormant for the past two years, after which Prof. James will resume his work at Harvard.

Sweet Wine Prices.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—The California Wine Association placed itself in fighting shape today to meet undercutting of prices in the sweet wine trade. It did this at the preliminary annual meeting of its shareholders, by approving the action of its management in writing down the value of stocks on hand below producing cost, by authorizing a reduction of dividends from 60 to 42 cents, or on the basis of 5 per cent. on the par value of the stock, and, most significant of all, by setting aside from last year's profits the sum of $250,000 as a "special reserve against further sweet wine competition."

Exonerated by Jury.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 21.—Rupert Shaw, who was arrested in August of last year on a charge of embezzlement, was fully exonerated today by a jury in the Superior Court. No evidence was introduced during the trial to substantiate the charge.

ARGUMENT DEFERRED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—When the case against John A. Benson, the wealthy California land owner, was called in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals today, Assistant United States District Attorney Houghton, for the government, asked that argument on the appeal be deferred until the United States Supreme Court has passed on the Dimond and Hyde appeals. Argument in the Benson case was deferred.

CALIFORNIA STUDENT'S HONORS.

POUGHKEEPSIE (N. Y.) Feb. 21.—Among the students of Vassar College who received honorable mention this year is Helen Chann Bancroft of Peralta, Cal.

PLUMS FIT FOR PICKING.

Forest Fires Cause Freak of Nature in Fruit Industry of Santa Cruz.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SANTA CRUZ, Feb. 21.—A freak of nature that attracts much attention among those engaged in the fruit industry in Santa Cruz county is a plum tree which at present bears a crop of ripe fruit, ready for picking. The tree bloomed during the hot spell, when the forest fires were raging during September. Many apple trees also blossomed at the time of the fire, and at present bear considerable green fruit, but as yet have not matured to any extent in regard to size.

It is feared that this strange phenomena will cause a large shortage in the apple crop throughout the county.

THE GREAT WAR.

INDEMNITY ONLY HITCH.

Sole Peace Term of Japan at Which Bear Growls.

Kouropatkin Wants to Win a Final Battle.

Mikado Gives Rush Order for Twenty-five Destroyers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Advices from St. Petersburg this evening state that definite terms of peace are being discussed there tonight. It is even stated that these terms are almost complete.

A dispatch printed here tonight says: "The question of peace has not only formally been discussed, but the conditions on which Russia is prepared to make peace have practically been agreed upon. These terms are as follows:

"Korea to be placed under Japanese suzerainty; Port Arthur and the Liao Tung Peninsula to be ceded to Japan. Vladivostok to be declared a neutral port, with the 'open door.' The Eastern Chinese railroad to be placed under neutral, international administration. Manchuria, as far as Harbin, to be restored as an integral part of the Chinese Empire."

The difficulty lies in settling the question of indemnity, upon which it is known that Japan insists, but it is thought that this difficulty is not insuperable.

The most trustworthy opinion at St. Petersburg is that, in view of the internal situation and the enormous difficulty in carrying on the war, peace on the terms outlined will be concluded within a comparatively short time if the indemnity question can be arranged.

It is quite possible, however, that Russia will risk another battle before a decision is reached.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 22.—Conditions of peace which Russia can accept are freely discussed here. The only obstacle to peace is said to be the question of indemnity, which, it is said, Russia will refuse to pay.

While peace reports are circulated in official and other quarters in St. Petersburg, the information reaches the Associated Press that Gen. Kouropatkin is industriously preparing to try final conclusions with Field Marshal Oyama, and that a decisive battle may be expected within a fortnight.

Capt. William B. Budson, U. S. A., and other ofreign military attachés have been asked to leave Vladivostok. While no reason has been assigned, it is probable that this action is in anticipation of operations which will begin there as soon as spring opens.

According to the latest reports, Emperor Nicholas is greatly dissatisfied with the conduct of Gen. Gripenberg while he was in Manchuria, and that he has not only sustained Gen. Kouropatkin, but has ordered Gen. Gripenberg to return to his post. It is gossip in court circles that Gen. Gripenberg's face was far from cheerful when he left the Emperor's cabinet.

An alarming rumor was recently current in Mukden that Gen. Nogi, with almost all the Japanese army which had taken part in the siege of Port Arthur, had appeared near Goudzhou Pass, but the dispatch has since been disapproved.

TWENTY-FIVE JAP DESTROYERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 22, 10 a.m.—The Japanese government has ordered the immediate construction of twenty-five torpedo-boat destroyers. Fifteen are to be built in the government yards and ten in private yards.

It is reported that a steamer bound for Vladivostok has been caught and held in the ice in Ezo Strait, between the islands of Kunashiri and Hokkaido, since February 17. The name of the steamer has not been ascertained.

WHAT LONDON THINKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Reports that peace between Russia and Japan is near are accepted by the press of London this morning as having strong inherent probability.

It is pointed as significant that Count Benckendorff, the Russian Ambassador, has had several audiences recently with King Edward, and that the King, Sunday, received in audience Mr. Spring-Rice, Councillor of the British Embassy at St. Petersburg, who has just returned from Washington, where he was received by Secretary Hay and President Roosevelt.

According to continental reports, the Emperor of Austria has used his efforts to persuade Emperor Nicholas to seek peace.

It is suggested that the terms, as outlined by the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Reuter Telegram Company, may be regarded as forming an extremely possible basis for peace, as they are held to include more than Japan claimed before the war.

Minister Hayashi, who was interviewed by the Associated Press last night, said he considered the suggested terms highly interesting but said he was not aware of any new factor tending to induce Russia to make overtures, and had no intimation pointing to the conclusion of peace. Neither would he say what terms would be acceptable to Japan.

OPPOSITE RUSSIAN LEFT.

EXTENSIVE JAP MOVEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TSINKHETCHEN, Feb. 20.—[Via Mukden, Feb. 21.] Extensive movements by the Japanese opposite the Russian left flank caused the sending out of two scouting divisions at noon February 18, the first occupying positions on both banks of the Taitse River at Souldun and the second occupying a pass eleven miles southeast of Tsinkheten. February 19, the Japanese attacked both divisions, taking advantage of a bad snowstorm to approach the Russian pickets and succeeding in forcing back the Russians beyond the Taitse River. Skirmishing continues today, with varying fortunes.

The division at the pass maintained its ground against the fire of four old-style guns, using common black powder. The Russian losses are less than a score wounded.

...WITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Continued moderate temperature is expected to prevail until the end of the week. Tomorrow probably will be slightly colder, with no alarming drop in the mercury is believed to be near at hand. Weather continues cloudy and threatening. The temperature ranged from 28 to 38 degs. Middle West stations:

	Max.	Min.
	32	24
	40	34
	52	34
	58	36
	42	36
	36	30
	54	30
	40	26
	54	30
	48	28
	32	30
Salt Lake	20	14
	52	32
	38	28
	28	26
	38	10
	30	24
	34	30
	30	28
	56	22
	52	32
	40	30
	52	28
	32	28
	54	36
	34	26
	22	10
	48	30
	50	32
	50	38
	52	26
	38	30
Sainte Marie	26	22
Mo.	44	22
Mo.	46	22
	58	28
	44	30

Commercial National Bank and former Comptroller of Currency, will not accept the challenge of Thomas W. Lawson to fight a duel, or engage in "any honest game, nothing barred." "It looks like an invitation to a game of poker," commented Banker Eckels. Lawson makes the direct charge that Eckels, while director in the Trust Company borrowed $20,000 from the company and was forced by a bank inspector to pay up. Eckels says Lawson lies.

ANTI-SPITTING CRUSADE.

The anti-spitting crusade reached high tide today, when 171 men and one woman were arraigned before Justice Caverly for violating the ordinance. One hundred and fifty men were fined. Mrs. Mary Birmingham, the lone woman, was allowed to go.

Mrs. Adelaide M. Harding, in an effort to force her husband, George F. Harding, to pay her $35,000 alimony, has asked Judge Windes to appoint a receiver for Harding's property, said to be worth nearly $4,000,000. The Harding litigation has been dragging through the courts in Chicago and Los Angeles for several years.

WHOSE WIFE SHE IS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

URBANA (Ill.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Susan C. Day, formerly of Urbana, but now Chicago, the divorced wife of the assistant Attorney-General of the United States, William A. Day, claimed by Dr. Charles A. Nichols of this city as his wife by a common-law marriage, scored an important victory after three years' litigation, when Judge Philbrick today, in the Circuit Court, refused to acknowledge the alleged marriage as legal.

TO REMARRY SAME MAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When Mrs. Johnston Richards, who is ill at Grace Hospital, recovers she will be remarried to the husband from whom she was divorced several years ago. Interference by relatives after their marriage in Chicago resulted in a divorce. Then the husband read that his former wife had perished in the Iroquois Theater fire. Only recently he discovered that she was still living.

TO HALF MILLION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jimmy Ragan, a newsboy, and his brother and sister, are heirs to a million dollars left them by their uncle, another, Mrs. Ella Ragan Beaty, of Kankakee county, Ill.

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SACRAMENTO.

ONE TOO MANY FOR STANTON.

Houser's Bill for Selling Normal Site Passes.

Parker Expounds Law to Los Angeles Delegation.

Slavin's School-money Measure Goes Through.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—Carter's bill providing for the erection of a State Historical Building to be located in the city of Los Angeles was passed by the Senate today.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Assemblyman Houser stole a march on Stanton of Los Angeles this morning by having his bill providing for the sale of the site of the Los Angeles State Normal School pass the House. Stanton, who is a real estate dealer, is vigorously opposed to the sale of the Normal School site. Houser allowed Stanton to have the impression that the bill would be held up until the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee could be consulted. When it came up on the third reading file today, however, Houser forgot the energetic chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and allowed the bill to be passed. There was a tilt between the two men later on in the Assembly chamber. So far, Houser has not offered any apology.

Stanton is making a number of enemies for himself because of his anxiety to mix up with every one who opposed him for Speaker. He developed an additional number of personal enemies, according to his view, when his bill providing for the legalising of oral contracts in real estate came up. He marked every one that opposed that suspicious measure in his red book, and on every occasion he goes out of his way to show his enmity.

About the only friend Stanton has about the legislative halls is Walter Parker, who is managing the Southern Pacific affairs. Last Sunday night there was a banquet in the French restaurant here, over which Parker presided, and to which only members of the Los Angeles delegation were admitted, in which the law was laid down for the future guidance of the delegates.

Assemblyman Johnston's rebellion against Stanton's dictatorship the other night on the floor, when he carried an appropriation of $3500 for the Whittier Reform School waterworks, was the cause of considerable discussion. Stanton gave evidence of much chagrin at the defeat he suffered at the hands of Johnston. He was placated by Parker with the information that he (Parker) had about made arrangements to secure the patronage of the Whittier Reform School, which is in Johnston's district, and that with this patronage he would be able to put Johnston out of commission.

It is a well-known fact that Assemblyman McKinney has been offered the superintendency of Whittier under a condition that he turn the patronage of that institution over to Parker. The fact that Johnston's bill would mean a yearly saving to the State of $1200 for water, was overlooked.

"ASSOCIATED CHARITIES."

The bill of Assemblyman O'Brien to enable county boards of supervisors to contribute sums of money not to exceed $1000 in any one month to one society in the county, duly incorporated and known as "The Associated Charities," passed the Assembly this morning. The bill is framed for the purpose of permitting that coöperation between boards of supervisors and charitable organizations working under the central corporation named, necessary to adequate relief of worthy poor.

Ordinarily, supervisors have no time or means of ascertaining the status and real condition of those who apply to the county for alms, and a large waste of public funds results. To remedy this, the supervisors hereafter are virtually empowered to turn over the whole matter of county almsgiving to societies incorporated for that very purpose.

BILLS PASSED.

SENATE AND ASSEMBLY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—Bills were passed by the Senate today as follows:

By Coggins—Appropriating $12,000 for the purchase and installation of a heating plant for the use of the State Normal School at Chico.

By Wright—Appropriating $3333 for the relief of E. D. McCabe, a former insurance commissioner.

By Coggins—Permitting the State Board of Prison Directors to sell jute bags at any time and at such prices as they see fit.

By Coggins—Providing that three, instead of four, members of the State Board of Prison Directors may constitute a quorum for the parolement of prisoners; that the wardens of State prisons need not be electors, but that guards must be electors. The bill also provides for the appointment of a special agent to look after paroled prisoners.

By Ward—Relating to the establishment and maintenance of high schools.

By Simpson—Relating to the disposition of life estates or homesteads or community property in certain cases.

By Ward—Permitting societies formed for the purpose of preventing cruelty to animals to accept gifts of money or property.

MORE SENATE BILLS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—Bills were passed by the Senate tonight as follows:

By Muenter—Appropriating $46,000 for the purchase of additional land for the use of the Stockton State Hospital.

By Savage—Permitting all ex-Union soldiers and sailors honorably discharged to peddle goods, wares or merchandise without a license.

By Hahn—Relating to the powers of boards of supervisors.

By Anderson—Providing for taking down and transcribing instructions to jurors by judges of the Superior Court.

By Ward—Providing for authority to use the tide waters of the entrance to False Bay in San Diego county to propel machinery.

By Carter—Appropriating $9000 for the purchase of additional furniture and equipment for the use of the State Normal School at Los Angeles.

By Rush—Permitting banks to be organized in towns with 1000 population or over, at a capital stock of $10,000.

By Ward—Appropriating $10,000 for the improvement of the campus of the State Normal School at San Diego.

By Simpson—An act reorganizing the National Guard of the State, to make it conform more closely to the United States army.

ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Bills were passed in the Assembly today as follows:

By O'Brien—Permitting boards of supervisors to appropriate funds for associated charities.

By Johnstone—Appropriating $2000 to be used in the purchase of printing materials at Whittier State School.

By Johnstone—Appropriating $350 for the purchase of new books for the library at Whittier State School.

By Gates—Authorising boards of supervisors to change the names of streets and avenues.

By Creighton—Providing for an additional superior judges for Shasta county.

THE LEGISLATURE.

THIRTY-SIXTH SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—SENATE—The railroad crossing bill introduced in the Assembly by Walsh and in the Senate by Pendleton was amended in several particulars in the upper house today, removing the features which were objected to by its opponents. According to the terms of the measure, as it now stands, either railroad at the crossing may insist on a separation of grades in which instance the cost of constructing the crossing shall be equally divided.

A separation of grades will not be required in cases where it is physically impracticable, and in case of any dispute as to the physical practicability of any undergrade or overhead crossing and controversy is to be determined by the Superoir Court of the county.

As amended, the bill applies to crossings outside the limits of incorporated towns, cities or cities and counties.

ASSEMBLY—After two hours of heated debate, in which the members of the San Francisco delegation were pitted against the remainder of the house, Assemblyman James Slavin's bill, amending the law relating to the apportionment of school money, was passed by the Assembly late this afternoon, the vote being 51 to 25.

Scenes of wild confusion were enacted during the debate on the measure, and Speaker Prescott was unable on several occasions to maintain order. At a time when the disorder was at its height the Speaker reminded Coghlan of San Francisco that he would be compelled to deal harshly with him if he did not curb his belligerent attitude. Coghlan defied Prescott, but nothing came of the heated repartee.

The school-fund apportionment measure, which was drawn up by State Superintendent of Schools Kirk, provides that $250 shall be given to every county, and city and county, for each teacher determined and assigned to it on school census. At present, the law provides that the apportionment shall be made on the basis of the number of school census children.

Debate on the bill was limited to Slavin and McGowan of San Francisco, the remainder of the time being devoted to wrangling on points of order. In an impassioned speech the San Franciscan declared that his city was now paying nearly $200,000 more into the State school fund than it was receiving in return, and if the proposed amendment to the law were adopted the loss would reach nearly a half million dollars. Slavin argued that an injustice would not be worked on San Francisco, but that the apportionment as provided in the new law would be just and equitable.

After the bill had been passed Coghlan stated he would give notice of reconsideration tomorrow.

Following an extended debate, the Assembly passed Leavitt's bill repealing the compulsory vaccination law. The question came up on a motion to reconsider the vote whereby the bill was defeated a few days ago. The motion was made by Assemblyman Pyle. The vote which finally passed the bill stood 42 to 35. The measure now goes to the Governor.

Micheltree's bill providing for the appointment of a board of barber examiners passed today by a vote of 51 to 25. The only opponent of the measure was Olmstead of Marin, who declared that the barbers of his district were opposed to it.

EMMONS SERIOUSLY ILL.

ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—Suffering intense pain from an aggravated attack of appendicitis, and utterly prostrated over the recommendation of the Bribery Investigation Committee to expel him from the Senate, E. J. Emmons, State Senator from Kern, was taken from his hotel today to a local hospital ot be operated on. The man, who is accused of accepting a bribe of $350, is pronounced in an extremely critical condition.

Accompanied by his wife, who has been his faithful companion ever since her arrival here from Bakersfield, Emmons was removed to the hospital, and at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon was operated upon. He was exceedingly weak when placed in his bed, and but little hope is held out for his ultimate recovery. At 3:15 o'clock the following statement was given out by Dr. E. M. Wilder, on behalf of Drs. James and Hanna, who conducted the operation:

"Senator Emmons is in a precarious condition. His appendix was found to have exploded, which means that considerable pus has disseminated through his system. The operation had been delayed too long. The last reports from the Senator's bedside are unfavorable."

NOW RESTING EASILY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—Senator Emmons was resting easily at a late hour tonight, and the indications are that he will survive the night. Early this evening he recovered from the effects of the anesthetic, and is now conscious. Drs. W. J. Hanna, J. W. James and E. M. Wilder, who conducted the operation, stated tonight that although the condition of the patient is low, his temperature and pulse are normal, and that the crisis may not occur for several hours.

As soon as Dr. James A. McKee of Sacramento, who is a member of the Senate, learned of the plight of his colleague today, he went to the hospital and was called into consultation at the operation. He also offered the use of his home to Mrs. Emmons, who has thus far declined, the offer, and is remaining at the hotel. Realizing that her husband is in a critical condition, Mrs. Emmons dispatched a messenger to San Francisco tonight for the purpose of securing important private papers which the Senator will sign.

The critical illness of Senator Emmons has somewhat complicated the situation now confronting the Senate in regard to action on the committee's report recommending the expulsion of Emmons and his three colleagues on the committee of Commission and Retrenchments. The consideration of the report has been made a special report for Thursday morning, but the friends of the accused are said to be planning to plead for a delay, depending on Senator Emmons's condition to arouse the sympathy of the Senators.

Warrant Out for Kelley?

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—It was rumored in legislative circles tonight that a warrant was out for the arrest of Martin Kelly on a charge of perjury committed before the committee that investigated the bribery charges. Dist.-Atty. Seymour denied that a warrant had been issued for Kelly, but intimated that he might be taken into custody tomorrow.

WASHINGTON.

IT'S ALL UP TO ARIZONA.

No Legislation on Statehood This Session.

But a Hot Old Fight in the Next Congress.

Railroad Rate Question Again Under Discussion.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There are so many complications surrounding Statehood legislation and so many interests working in different directions that considerable mental agility is required to figure out just what is most likely to happen. Today, however, the best opinion is that there is going to be no Statehood legislation at all at this session. In that direction lies danger for Arizona, for reasons that will appear presently.

The fight in the Senate now is to have Indian Territory and Oklahoma admitted as one State and New Mexico as another State, leaving Arizona to a Territorial government and subsequent Statehood. This fight is being led by Senator Bard. There is another faction in the Senate that would admit Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one State, and stop there. There is another faction, headed by the Senate Committee on Territories, that insists upon two States, one of them to be made up of Arizona and New Mexico. The Senators who would save Arizona from union with New Mexico are in a majority.

Over in the House end of the Capitol there is Speaker Cannon, who says that if Arizona and New Mexico are not admitted as one State, there will be nothing doing on the Statehood question at this session. He is backed up by something less than a majority of the House, and it became known today that the House leaders have decided to let Statehood die with this session. Here is their programme:

At the next session of Congress, the whole bunch of new statesmen will come to Washington. Senator Bard, whose fight for Arizona has been grim and successful, will be out of the Senate. Within two weeks after the next session of Congress meets, the House Committee on Territories will report a new Statehood Bill to the House. It will join Arizona and New Mexico in one State. It will be jammed through the House, where, with a tremendous Republican majority, the Speaker will be even more powerful than he is now, and will be sent to the Senate early in the session. In that body, also, the Republican majority will be larger, some old fighters like Senator Bard will have retired and the House leaders believe they can pass their bill. Whether they can do it or not depends upon the kind of a fight Arizona organizes between now and then.

RAILROAD RATE LEGISLATION.

COMMITTEEMEN DIFFERING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce today reached no definite conclusion as to postponement of railroad rate legislation at this session of Congress. The committee will go on with the hearing Thursday, when the resolution of Senator Kean, providing for an investigation of the subject of rate legislation during the recess will be considered.

The committee considered for more than an hour the question of reporting to this session a bill for the regulation of railroad rates, or a resolution asking that the committee be asked to sit during the recess to perfect some measure that will meet the objections urged against the Esch-Townsend Bill, which was passed by the House. The sentiments expressed by members of the committee were so varied that agreement was impossible, and amid confusion, the committee was adjourned by Chairman Elkins, with the announcement that a meeting will be held Thursday to hear Stuyvesant Fish, president of the Illinois Central Railway, and others who have been invited by the committee. The controversy over the programme to be adopted was precipitated when the committee was called to order.

Senator Dolliver moved that the committee take up the Esch-Townsend Bill and other measures before the committee and continue the meeting every day until some bill can be reported to the present session of Congress. Opponents to the bill remonstrated. Chairman Elkins declared that the number of protests that had been made against the bill passed by the House and the number of demands for hearings made by the interests affected by the proposed legislation made it imperative that exhaustive hearings be had.

Senator Cullom called attention to the President's message on rate legislation, and argued that it was due him that some action be taken at the present session.

In response to the demands for immediate action on the House bill, Senator Kean said that nearly every lawyer that had examined it had poked his fingers through it and declared many of its provisions wer eunconstitutional, and that it does not reach the evils complained of by shippers, but that it did jeopardise the securities of the railroads.

"Why, the President himself, realized that no action can be had at the present session," interrupted Chairman Elkins. "He does not indorse this bill now, and believe that a better measure can be drawn. He is willing to take the responsibility of a postponement, especially as he has been assured that if no measure is passed at this session, the committee will meet early and press an investigation right through."

Senator Kean prepared a resolution several weeks ago, asking that the committee be designated to sit through the summer, but after consultation with members of the committee, decided to submit it to the committee, instead of offering it in the Senate. He had intended to offer it today, but Senator Dolliver forestalled it with his motion. The resolution was not before the committee, but its provisions were known, and the course suggested formed the base of the argument. No vote of any kind was had during the meeting, and a division of the committee could not be made from the arguments.

Senator Carmack favored the Dolliver motion, but said he would not vote for the Esch-Townsend Bill in its present form. Senator Foster and Senator McLaurin said they had not fully made up their minds in regard to the bill before them. It was the overwhelming sentiment that the bill could not be reported without additional hearings, but it was not determined whether there should be a limit of time placed on the investigation.

Senator Dolliver announced that he would renew his motion when the committee meets again, and said further that if a resolution is adopted to sit after the adjournment of Congress, he would move to amend to require an early report.

IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Senate Committee on Territories, in executive session this morning, reached the conclusion that there was no chance for Statehood, except for Oklahoma and Indian Territory. Neither the House bill consolidating the two others, nor the Senate bill, admitting New Mexico and leaving Arizona Territory, can pass at this session. Speaker Cannon would kill the latter, through his control of the Republican majority of the House, while Senator Teller, as a filibusterer, would kill the former.

Senator Beveridge, chairman of the committee, has not yielded to the Oklahoma compromise, and it is not sure that all Democrats have, but if these delinquents could be brought into line, there would be legislation providing a forty-sixth state.

THE CONGRESS.

CLOSING SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—SENATE—When the Senate convened today, Mr. Carmack, a member of the Committee on Interstate Commerce, presented a petition for railroad rate legislation. Mr. Berry immediately asked as to the prospect for railroad rate legislation. Mr. Carmack gave place to Mr. Elkins, chairman of the committee, to make reply.

Mr. Elkins said: "The bill passed by the House reached the Senate several days ago. During that time, the Senate has had almost continuous sessions, but only one friend of the railroads has been heard. The committee has given the best attention possible to the bill, but there has been no time to consider the amendments, and there are several believed to be important. No decision as to an effort to pass the bill this session has been reached, but with a limited time at their disposal, it would seem that there is very little prospect of that result before adjournment, with only ten days of the session left, and with much other imperative business to be performed. It would hardly seem probable that the most important economic question of the day could be disposed of in so short a time, and especially in view of the fact that only one side of the question has so far been presented to the committee."

Mr. Carmack, a member of the Committee on Interstate Commerce, excused himself from speaking from the committee on the ground that such joyous harmony exists there as to obliterate party lines. He said he could assure the Senate that all of the committees are actuated by a keen desire to execute at the earliest possible moment the promises made by the President of the United States, and through the medium of the domestic platform, and added, "that it is the desire to be guided in this matter by the President."

"Indeed," he added, "I may go further and say, knowing the chairman of the committee will correct me if I am wrong, that I am authorized to inform the Senate that all the members recognize in the President the foremost disciple and the ablest lieutenant of William J. Bryan."

The statement caused a general outburst of laughter and the incident closed.

OTHER BUSINESS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—A number of Senators sought recognition for the passage of bills, but Mr. Hale objected. He called attention to the little time allowed for business before 2 o'clock, the hour when, under agreement, the Swayne impeachment trial must be taken up each day.

Mr. Proctor presented a partial conference report on the Army Appropriation Bill. He said that the Senate amendment relating to the pay of retired officers of the army assigned to active duty is among those upon which no agreement had been reached. The partial agreement was adopted, and a further conference ordered.

The Military Academy Appropriation Bill was taken up and passed. The only alteration by the Senate was made at the instance of Mr. Platt of Connecticut, who moved an amendment placing on the retired list as brigadier-general, Gen. Joseph R. Hawley, whose term as Senator will expire in March next. The amendment was accepted without discussion. As passed, the bill carries a total appropriation of $867,790.

Consideration of the Indian Appropriation Bill was then begun. When, at 2 o'clock, the hearing in the Swayne impeachment trial was resumed, the Indian bill was laid aside.

Mr. Hale presented an order for a vote in the Swayne case at 4 p.m. Saturday, and asked that it go over until tomorrow.

Mr. Palmer replied that the House managers would desire at least six hours for their presentation of the case for the prosecution. He said that each of the managers would desire to be heard. Mr. Higgins then resumed his opening statement in Judge Swayne's interest.

Mr. Higgins concluded at 3:25 o'clock p.m., and Attorney W. A. Blount of Pensacola was recalled as the first witness on behalf of the respondent.

When Mr. Blount concluded, the trial was suspended for the day, and the Senate began consideration of the bill for the government of the isthmian canal zone. Messrs. Teller and Bailey took exception to the provision authorising the use of the rentals of the Panama Railroad in constructing the canal without first turning them into the treasury. The bill was amended so as to meet the objection. Mr. Bailey also objected to the acquisition of the Panama Railroad by the government, but said that if the government really wanted the road, it should be condemned outright.

Mr. Teller also expressed the opinion that the ownership of the Panama Railroad would be construed as a precedent for government ownership, and said that the ownership by the government of all the railroads of the United States would present a condition "frightful to contemplate." The bill was not completed, and it was arranged that the Senate would meet at 1 o'clock tomorrow, and after reading Washington's Farewell Address, consideration of the Canal Bill would be resumed.

At 5.58 o'clock p.m., the Senate went into executive session, and at 6:05 o'clock the doors were reopened and Mr. Fairbanks, for Mr. Platt of New York, notified the Senate respecting the death of Representative Otis. A committee to attend the funeral was appointed. The Senate, at 6:10 o'clock adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—HOUSE—The House, in committee of the whole, today, began consideration of the bill to revise and amend the tariff laws of the Philippines. Mr. Payne of New York, chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, said the bill did not affect the question of goods imported into the United States from the Philippines, but that it did affect goods exported from this country to those islands. The bill, he said, was for revenue purposes, and originated with the Philippine Commission.

Several Sluthern members directed inquiries to Mr. Payne regarding the reason for the reduction of the duty on manufactured tobacco, which elicited the reply that it was thought that product would yield a little revenue and at the same time not interfere with the industry on the islands. The tobacco business in the Philippines, he explained, was not in so bad a way as the sugar business.

Responding to a question by Mr. Robinson of Indiana, Mr. Payne said that the bill did not contemplate, nor had any suggestion been made concerning any proposition looking to the admission of Chinese labor into the islands.

TARIFF ON OPIUM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The tariff on opium in the Philippines formed the subject of a discussion through an amendment by Mr. Hitchcock of Nebraska to prohibit the importation of the product except for medicinal purposes. The amendment was defeated.

An amendment was agreed to, providing that under the authority granted to the Philippine Commission to enact legislation regarding opium, they shall not establish a license system with a view to deriving revenue from the traffic; also that no license fees or taxes, except duties on imports, shall in any event be higher than deemed necessary to cover the expenses of the administration of any such legislation. The bill was passed without division, and practically as it came from the committee.

Following the presentation of the conference report on the Army Appropriation Bill, the House went into committee of the whole on the Rivers and Harbors Bill. An agreement was reached to limit general debates to two hours.

General applause followed the adoption of a joint resolution authorizing the return by the Secretary of War of Union and Confederate battle flags to the respective States in which the regiments which bore them were organized.

At 5:37 o'clock the House adjourned until tomorrow, at 12 o'clock.

CAPITAL IS NOW CUT OFF.

Strikes Almost End Communication Between St. Petersburg and Southwest Russia.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, 1:20 a.m., Feb. 22.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Communication with Southwest Russia has been almost cut off, even the telegraphers striking, the few who are still at their keys being kept there with pistols at their heads. The railroad employés at Dorpa struck yesterday.

The situation in Poland along the Austrian border is also causing uneasiness.

CZAREVITCH ILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Lokal Anzeiger says that the Czarevitch is ill, and that a specialist in children's diseases has been summoned to attend him at Tsarskoe Selo.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Oklahoma Stock Quarantine.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The Interior Department has decided that the action of the Oklahoma Legislature extending the stock quarantine to the Territory so as to include the Osage Indian reservation, was in excess of the powers conferred by Congress, and was inoperative within the Osage reservation. The department will open bids Thursday for grazing land leases on the Osage reservation.

Omnibus Light Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce today authorized a favorable report on an omnibus light bill. The bill authorises new lighthouses at Honolulu, Hawaii, at a cost of $40,000. A lighthouse tender to cost $120,000 was authorized for the California district.

Admiral Dewey's Cold.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Admiral Dewey, who has been suffering from a cold for the past few days, was reported to be much better today, but is not yet able to leave his house.

Washington's Birthday Address.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The President will go to Philadelphia tomorrow to deliver a Washington's Birthday address before the student body of the University of Pennsylvania and to receive at the hands of the regents of that institution the degree of LL.D.

Bust of Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A bust of Washington, a reproduction of the original in marble by Houdon, the sculptor, which was destroyed by fire in the library of Congress in 1851, has been put in place in the rotunda of the Capitol today, and will be unveiled tomorrow.

PRAY FOR PRESIDENT HARPER.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—President William Rainey Harper has begun to fail rapidly, and it is probable that he will be subjected to a surgical operation to relieve the pressure on the brain tomorrow. Tomorrow morning a special meeting of students and faculty of the university will be held in the university chapel, and a prayer service for Dr. Harper before the operation probably will take place in the afternoon. President Harper was resting comfortably today.

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Williams' Shaving Soap, cake 5c
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25c Ideal Glycerine Soap, cake or 3 bars, 10c.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 22, 1:30 a.m.—The railroad strike situation is reported growing worse in the southwest, and private advices tell of the existence of a reign of terror in Tiflis and the Caucasus generally. Many murders by Tartars and Armenians are reported.

Telegrams from Baku report that the disturbances there are increasing; that looting has occurred in many parts of the town; that shops have been pillaged and houses burned, and that the inhabitants are panic-stricken.

Serious disturbances are also reported at Balakhany, eight miles north of Baku, and troops have been summoned thither.

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PRESSING THE WAR ON THE BEEF TRUST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—United States officials commenced one of the most extensive inquiries ever started under the Sherman Anti-Trust Act today, by issuing subpoenas for 185 witnesses, calling for a Federal grand jury to sit March 20 and making full arrangements for producing complete evidence regarding the operations of the packers in Chicago and other packing-houses in detail.

One hundred and thirty witnesses are to be from the Chicago packing-houses and offices, and fifty-five are heads of departments and agents in fifteen other large cities of the country. Nearly all the subpoenas directed to residents of Chicago were served before 6 o'clock. The eight deputies engaged in the service invaded all the principal offices of the big packing companies. The jury will be drawn Thursday or Friday.

The first subpoenas were served on branch-house managers and office men in New York City and Jersey City, late Monday evening, commanding them to appear in Chicago March 20.

In every outside city, where witnesses were subpoenaed, excepting New York, the deputies were dispatched from the office of the clerk of the court located there at 9 o'clock this morning. The cities in which such witnesses were located were notified as follows: Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Pittsburgh, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Buffalo, Cincinnati, Sioux City, St. Paul, Fort Worth, Jersey City and Milwaukee.

Seven subpoenas were served in the downtown offices of Armour & Co. late today. Assistant Treasurer Samuel McRoberts was one of those subpoenaed. General Superintendent Connors was said to have received a notice, also, but he denied it later. The other men called were department heads in the general offices.

At the office of Swift & Co., at the stockyards, the first two men to receive subpoenas were W. H. Frederick, head of the railroad department, and W. B. Jones, manager of the Armour company lines. The head cattle buyer and staff at the yards for Swift & Co. were summoned.

Cattle buyers at the Morris plant, the National Packing Company and Schwarzschild & Sulsberger were served, as well as scalehouse men and car checkers and officials of the Union Yards and Transit Company. None of the heads of the packing companies will be called before the grand jury.

Jesse P. Lyman, former president of the National Packing Company, was served as he was leaving his office to start for California. J. Ogden Armour, as well as the heads of the other packing companies, declined to make any statement regarding the determined step which the government has taken to scrutinize the business of the packing companies. Inquiries were referred to Attorney John S. Miller, who represented the combined packers named in the Grosscup injunction, which was sustained by the United States Supreme Court a month ago.

"If all this investigation," said Miller, "does not entirely satisfy the representatives of the government that we are in every way that is possible observing the requirements of this drastic injunction, we have no word of opposition to offer to any further full and fair inquiry into the actual facts—even by means of the secret and ex parte inquiry in the grand jury room. When that has been done, however, we sincerely trust we may look for and receive the 'square deal' which is promised everyone and as the facts justify it, we may be relieved from misrepresentation and unjust suspicion."

PORTER'S EARS OFF; TRAIN WRECK KILLS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] North-bound passenger train No. 9, which left this city last night at about 10 o'clock, was wrecked by a landslide near Point Concepcion at 1:30 o'clock this morning, as briefly reported in The Times today. One man, William Lowrie, No. 1661 Octavio street, San Francisco, was killed instantly, and a number of persons were seriously injured. Lowrie was Pacific Coast manager of the Dearborn Drug Company of San Francisco. His head was crushed to a pulp, both legs broken in several places, and his body crushed.

The wrecked train was two hours late in leaving here. It encountered a small landslide between the Santa Ana ranch and St. Augustine. The falling dirt threw the train from the track in a deep cut, piling the engine, two mail and baggage cars, and two passenger coaches, together in a heap. Two of the cars were partly telescoped by the collision. Some of the big sleepers stayed on the track.

A wrecking crew went up from here early this morning with doctors and assistance. It is believed that Lowrie must have been riding in the engine from the location he was found under the cars. The track is blocked by the accident, no trains having arrived in this city at noon today from the north.

The injured are: Conductor E. Mengie, Los Angeles, spine injured and much brised about the body, and scalp lacerated.

T. C. Negrich, fireman, severely scalded, body bruised and face cut.

C. C. Gale, student fireman, legs bruised.

Mrs. C. L. Ritheon, Staples, Minn., passenger, shoulder sprained.

Mrs. J. H. Clung, Bertrand, Kan., back slightly sprained.

J. W. Pearson, colored porter, one ear lost and one much injured.

H. H. Mitchell, brakeman, Los Angeles, back sprained.

W. W. Blake, mail clerk, Fruitlake, leg bruised.

Engineer Thompson escaped without injury beyond a few slight bruises. William Lowrie, who was killed in the wreck, was upon the locomotive at the time, testing a compound which was being used in the treatment of the water boiler. Jesse Martin, traveling engineer for the railroad company, was also on the engine, and escaped without injury.

The body of Lowrie lies in Knight's undertaking parlors pending instructions from his relatives, who have been communicated with.

The colored porter who had the misfortune to lose one and probably two ears was passing from one of the cars to another when the crash came. He said yesterday after the bandages had been applied:

"I was not thinking of anything particular, when suddenly I found my head in a grip of iron. It is a good thing that it was not anyone's head but mine, as it would have cracked like an egg shell. The pressure was so intense that my eyes almost started from their sockets. I realized that if I didn't get out I would die in a very short time and, bracing myself on my hands and knees, I gave a mighty heave and out came my head, minus the ears."

ANOTHER VICTIM DIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—A number of those injured in the train wreck near Santa Barbara arrived in this city tonight. Fireman Negrich, who had been made comfortable on a cot in the baggage car, was hurried to the Emergency Hospital. A White, who held a consular post at Shanghai, a passenger on the wrecked train, and who was in ill health, died on the train after passing San José.

SIBERIAN RAILWAY CAN'T STAND STRAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 22.—[By Atlantic Cable.] According to the Daily Telegraph's St. Petersburg dispatches the Siberian Railway is giving way under the tremendous strain to which it has recently been subjected. A general sagging of rails and other serious defects are revealing themselves; and, though the railway is able only to carry barely sufficient provisions for Gen. Kouropatkin's army, this is becoming increasingly difficult and the number of trains daily must soon be reduced.

STOESSEL ARRIVES IN CRIMEA.

CHEERING CROWDS WELCOME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KAFFA (Crimea) Feb. 21.—Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel, former commander at Port Arthur, arrived here today. He was welcomed by a cheering crowd. At the dock side a deputation from the municipality presented him the traditional bread and salt and an address of welcome.

Stoessel, addressing the assemblage, said: "My officers and soldiers coming back to the fatherland, bow to you."

Many relatives of those who had defended Port Arthur were present, and there were pathetic exhibitions of grief or joy, according to the news received. Stoessel personally condoled with the widows and orphans, and many of them kissed his hand.

The general expressed indignation at the London newspaper reports regarding the numbers of the available troops at Port Arthur at the time of the surrender, and said they were all untrue. The Russian fleet, he added, was destroyed beyond repair; there was no medicine in the fortress, and it could not have been held more than a day longer, and the surrender saved the women and children.

MISTCHENKO ON CRUTCHES.

HIT IN ATTACK ON SANDEPAS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MUKDEN, Feb. 21.—A correspondent of the Associated Press today saw Lieut.-Gen. Mistchenko, commander of the Eastern Cossack Brigade, whose wound in the leg, received during the attack on Sandepas, last month, is almost healed, though he is still on crutches. The general hopes to return to the front in two weeks. It is reported that he will receive command of an army corps.

WE FILL MAIL ORDERS.

Side Talks by the Office Boy

The orange groves and the hotels are certainly full of tourists. California never bagged as big a catch as they've drawn this year and every one you see is full of enthusiasm and oranges. They invariably say, you folks don't half appreciate what you've got out here, and I think that's so. Did you ever notice that glory never troubles a man when he's alive, but just as soon as he dies it comes around and keeps the flies off his memory. I know one man who is far-seeing enough to anticipate the growth of this beautiful country and that is my boss. He's enthusiastic himself and he enthuses every man he meets. He's got all of his clerks clean down to the Office Boy (that's me) right up on the bit thinking and talking that this is the only place.

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Best of the High Grade Powders.

9th ANNIVERSARY SALE 9th

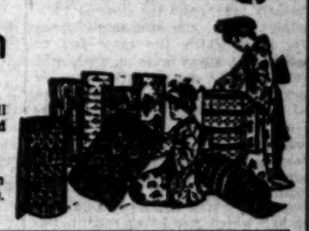
The Broadway Department Store

9th Anniversary Sale 9th

Imported Japanese Matting 15c

LINEN WARP, WORTH 25c.....

Japanese floor matting with linen warp; fine straw, closely woven; full yard wide, with firm, corded selvedge; these come in neat stripes and checks; grade worth regularly 25c. Today the yd. 15c.



$3.00 Moquet Rugs $1.98

Handsome new moquet rugs; 27 inches wide and 54 inches long; rich colors; beautiful floral and oriental designs; rugs worth regularly $3.00. Today each $1.98.

$4.00 Irish Point Curtains $2.98

Irish Point lace curtains, 28 inches wide and 3 yards long; panel effects, with beautiful border designs; both white and Arabian shades; excellent value at $4.00. Today the pair $2.98.

$3.00 Bobbinet Curtains $1.98

Fine bobbinet curtains with real Battenberg edges and insertions; some ruffled; white and Arabian shades; pretty curtains worth regularly $3.00. Today the pair $1.98.

$1.50 Madras Curtains 98c

Cross striped madras curtains, cream grounds with stripes of red, green, blue, gold and pink; 40 inches wide and 3 yards long; tassel finished ends; curtains well worth the regular price of $1.50. Today the pair 98c.

$1.00 Nottingham Curtains 75c

White Nottingham curtains, pretty floral and scroll borders; buttonhole finished edges; curtains worth regularly $1.00. Today the pair 75c.

$1.00 Door Panels 49c

Fancy Irish Point door panels; white or Arabian color; new designs on good bobbinet; worth regularly $1.00. Today each 49c.

15c Fancy Swiss 9c

Fancy figured and dotted curtain swiss; yard wide; lengths of from 1 to 5 yards; excellent value at 15c. Today the yard 9c.

Anniversary Sale of Wanted Bedding

Very Special Prices for Today

Bed comforts, full size; covered with fancy figured silkoline; filled with soft, white cotton; hand knotted; excellent value at $2.00. Today each $1.48

11-4 blankets, in tan, gray or white; soft and fleecy; fair weight; worth $1.25. Today the pair..... 98c

White wool blankets, 11-4 size; pretty pink and blue borders; ends bound with silk; blanket regularly priced at $3.50. Today the pair $2.48

10-4 cotton blankets, white, tan or gray with fancy borders; soft and fleecy; a bargain at the regular price of 75c. Today the pair..... 55c

Bargains From the Basement

4-qt. enameled deep pudding pans, perfect in every respect. Today each..... 20c

2-qt. enameled stew kettles; absolutely perfect; as good as you usually get at 35c. Today each..... 20c

Large size lined ovens for gas, gasoline or oil stoves; worth $1.75. Today each $1.39

4-piece glass table sets; covered butter dish, covered sugar bowl, cream pitcher and spoon holder. Today, the set..... 19c

Glass hand lamps; complete with burner, wick and chimney. Today only..... 24c

White footed oyster or mush bowls decorated with gold bands. Today each..... 5c

Wednesday Is Always Linen Day

90c Damask 78c

All-linen table damask; half bleached; extra weight; 2 yards wide; pretty floral patterns; a grade that will wash and wear well; worth 90c. Today the yd. 78c.

85c Damask 65c

Bleached table damask; 69 inches wide; all-linen; medium weight; pretty patterns; worth 85c. Today the yd. 65c.

$1.90 Napkins $1.69

All-linen napkins; 20 inches square; Scotch manufacture; good weight; handsome floral patterns; worth $1.90. Today the dozen $1.69.

$1.35 Napkins $1.17

White linen napkins; 18 inches square; good weight, soft finish; beautiful designs; napkins worth regularly $1.35. Today the dozen $1.17.

Hemmed Huck Towels 10c

Hemmed huck towels, size 19x36 inches; soft finish; red borders; a bargain at the regular price of 12½c. Today each 10c.

15c Turkish Towels 12½c

Turkish bath towels; size 20x42 inches; cream color; good weight; worth regularly 15c. Today each 12½c.

$1.35 White Bed Spreads $1.15

Hemmed white bed spreads, large size for double beds; good weight; Marseilles patterns; worth $1.35. Today each $1.15.

$1.85 Colored Bed Spreads $1.69

Colored bed spreads, large size; extra weight; hemmed ends; worth regularly $1.85. Today each $1.69.

Special For Today Only—To Introduce Them

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Remember this paper of Lightning Needles with threader will be given to you absolutely free of charge.

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TODAY WE GIVE YOU A PAPER FREE.

Bargains in Notions for Today

The Broadway best 6-cord spool cotton; 200 yds. to the spool; white or black; all numbers; 7 spools for 25c

Hump hooks and eyes; white or black; all sizes. Today the card..... 1c

India tape, in packages of 3 assorted widths containing 10 yards; worth 5c. Today the package..... 3c

Turney's toilet pins, assorted sizes; perfect points; worth 5c. Today the box..... 3c

Corset steels; white, gray or black; all lengths. Today the pair..... 4c

Wire hair pins; waved or straight; all lengths; 12 pins to the package. Today a dozen packages for..... 5c

Mechanic's Tools

Everything that a carpenter must have.

Henry Guyot
530-40 So. Spring St.

Announcement

Mr. F. G. Schumacher wishes to announce to his friends and former patrons that he has reopened his photographic studio.

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Cure quickly and forever Nervous Debility, Varicocele, Sleeplessness, Dyspepsia, Kidney Diseases, etc. For sale at all Sunstores.

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Cure constipation and sick headache, resulting from female ills. 25c. All druggists.

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MILLION-DOLLAR FIRE IN BOSTON SUBURB.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—Large double piers, Nos. 4 and 5, of the Hoosac tunnel docks, in Charlestown, together with considerable valuable freight, was completely destroyed by fire early today, and the steamer Philadelphian, of the Furness-Leyland line, from which the crew fled so hastily that three were injured, was hauled into the stream with her upper works ablaze. he loss to the Boston and Maine Railroad Company, owners of the docks, is estimated at fully $400,000, while the damage to the Philadelphian and merchandise will, it is thought, bring the loss up to about a million dollars. The adjoining pier, No. 5 which was burned last November and which was being rebuilt, was slightly damaged, while the steamer Dalton Hall, on the opposite side of the pier from the Philadelphian, backed out under her own steam, practically uninjured.

Chief Steward Fellows, of the Philadelphian, jumped overboard and was rescued in an exhausted condition, while one of the firemen of the steamer jumped to the deck of a near-by lighter and had a leg broken. Capt. Dickinson and his wife were taken off by the fire boat. Chief Steward Fellows was taken to a hospital, where he was pronounced in a dangerous condition. Four others, including two firemen, were taken to the hospital but they will recover.

Within five minutes after the fire was discovered a quarter of an acre of covered pier, well filled with the most inflammable goods, was wrapped in flames. Blazing brands were carried across the harbor to the city proper, but fortunately away from a large grain elevator at the head of Pier No. 5.

The Philadelphian, which arrived last Saturday from Liverpool and had discharged about a quarter of her cargo, caught fire within a few minutes. Her crew, who rushed on deck at the first alarm, were driven over the side by the great volume of flame that poured across the decks. But few harbor tugs were in the neighborhood and it was nearly an hour before she was hauled from her perilous position.

When the Philadelphian caught fire more than half of her crew of forty-eight men were below, and the speed with which the flames laid hold of her for a time made it seem impossible that all could have escaped. Some did so by leaping overboard, others succeeded in lowering a boat although the davits became red hot while they were doing it. Capt. Dickinson accounted for all his men and announced that no one had lost his life, although three had been injured.

The escape of the Dalton Hall is considered most fortunate, as she has on board a very valuable cargo, having been practically loaded to sail today for Rotterdam. The steamer Michigan, of the Warren line, and the steamer Martello also were threatened, but escaped damage.

The fire started presumably from spontaneous combustion in some hay on pier No. 4. It was under control at daylight.

CLOSING SESSIONS OF TRAFFIC AGENTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN JOSE, Feb. 21.—The newly-elected president of the Traffic Agents' Association took the chair this morning, when the convention opened. The new officers are: President, S. F. Booth, Union Pacific, San Francisco; first vice-president, C. H. White, Southern Pacific, Los Angeles; second vice-president, W. H. Olin, Chicago Great Western, Seattle; secretary-treasurer, George W. Colby, Great Northern, San Francisco.

About half of the delegates were absent from the session, having gone on trips to Stanford University and Lick Observatory. A delegation from Santa Cruz invited the convention to meet in that city next year. The convention voted to meet next year at Ashland, Or.

look over much of the line, and would shortly obtain their bids for grading, track-laying and other work, and it seemed to him hardly possible that, at the moment of beginning actual construction on this great enterprise, any proposal which would place upon the new line onerous conditions of crossing other railroads could be enacted into law.

Continuing, Bogue said: "The Western Pacific is an independent enterprise, but it has expended a large sum in preliminaries and in the purchase of properties, in bona fide, and is entitled to the confidence and support of the people of the State. It will have such traffic relations as will make it a factor of vast importance to the whole Coast. At the same time, it is not coming as an enemy of other interests. It is believed that the improvement and growth that it will bring will more than compensate for any loss it will cause existing roads."

PUSH THE WESTERN PACIFIC.

ENERGY IN CONSTRUCTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—V. G. Bogue, consulting engineer of the eastern capitalists, who are interested in the construction of the Western Pacific Railroad, said today that actual construction will shortly begin on an extensive scale, and will be pushed to rapid completion. It is intended to have the road open from Salt Lake City to San Francisco within two and one-half years.

Bogue said while the road will be built without government aid, the company will expect such liberal treatment in the matter of franchises and rights of way as will make the construction of its line feasible and reasonable, as well as beneficial to the communities through which it will pass. He also said he had already had contractors

ESPEE'S REFUNDING BONDS.

PAYMENT DUE MONDAY NEXT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The successful applicants for $75,000,000 of Southern Pacific 4-per-cent. refunding bonds will have to pay money therefor to Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Monday next. The receipt of that large sum of money that day by the firm mentioned would ordinarily be expected to cause some disturbance in the money market, but the transaction will be so financiered as to practically have no effect, except to cause a slight dislocation of loan items in the banks—a transfer of cash and bonds from one bank to another—which will not cause a crippling of the money market.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, FEB. 21.

Schooner Bertha Dehlbeer, Capt. Scheel, 9 days from Eureka.

SAILED—TUESDAY, FEB. 21.

Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Capt. Ranier, for Redondo.

Schooner Meteor, Capt. Hapner, for Port Townsend, in ballast.

Schooner Robert Searles, Capt. Piets, for Everett, in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

TUESDAY, FEB. 21.

Steamer Santa Barbara, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.

Steamer Harold Dollar, Crescent wharf.

American bark Hollinwood, Outer Harbor.

Barkentine Joan C. Meyer, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner Brothers, Ballast wharf.

Schooner Cabrillo, Banning wharf.

Schooner Americana, South. Cal. wharf.

Schooner Santa Rosa Island, Crescent wharf.

Schooner Minnie A. Caine, Crescent wharf.

Schooner Salem, Crescent wharf.

Schooner J. M. Coleman, So. Cal. wharf.

Schooner Carrier Dove, Crescent wharf.

Schooner Salvator, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner Muriel, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.

Schooner W. F. Garcelon, So. Cal. wharf.

Schooner Ethel Zane, South. Cal. wharf.

Schooner Borealis, Southwestern wharf.

Schooner E. K. Wood, E. K. Wood wharf.

TO LEAVE—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 22.

Steamer Harold Dollar, Capt. Twing, for Seattle, via San Francisco.

THURSDAY, Feb. 23 — Barkentine John C. Meyer, Capt. Simonsen, for Shoalwater Bay, in ballast.

Steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

FRIDAY, Feb. 24—Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Alberts, for San Francisco and way ports.

SUNDAY, Feb. 26—Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer William H. Kruger, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Robert Dollar, from Mukilteo via San Francisco.

Steamer Bee, from Eureka via San Francisco.

Steamer San Gabriel, from Umpqua and Eureka.

Bark Hayda Brown, from Tacoma.

Barkentine J. M. Griffith, from Port Blakeley.

Barkentine Gleaner, from Seattle.

Barkentine George C. Perkins, from Astoria.

Schooner Edward R. West, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Alex T. Brown, from Port Blakeley.

Schooner Kona, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Bertha Dehlbeer, from Eureka.

Schooner A. J. West, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Sadie, from Umpqua River.

Schooner Alvena, from Port Hadlock.

Schooner W. F. Jewett, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Lucy, from Umpqua River.

Schooner Azalea, from Eureka.

Schooner Ludlow, from Port Hadlock.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Santa Cruz, San Francisco.

Steamer Samoa, Casper.

Steamer Roanoke, Portland.

Steamer Isqua, Astoria.

Barkentine Makawell, Mukilteo.

Barkentine Retriever, Port Hadlock.

Schooner J. W. Cline, Port Townsend.

Schooner Maid of Orleans, Seattle.

Schooner Resolute, Aberdeen.

Schooner Cecelia Sudden, Aberdeen.

Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.

Schooner Halbea, Port Townsend.

Schooner Joseph Russ, Portland.

Schooner Mary Dodge, Eureka.

Schooner Oceania Vance, Aberdeen.

Schooner Prosper, Mallard.

Schooner Fred J. Wood, Aberdeen.

Schooner Makuhona, Astoria.

Schooner Snow and Burgess, Everett.

Schooner Alert, Bellingham.

Schooner Stimson, Ballard.

Schooner Annie Larsen, Aberdeen.

Schooner A. F. Coats, Aberdeen.

Schooner James H. Bruce, South Bend.

Schooner Columbia, Ballard.

Schooner Philippine, Aberdeen.

Schooner Nokomis, Port Townsend.

Schooner Lottie Carson, Eureka.

Schooner Hough, Everett.

Schooner Alice McDonald, Port Blakeley.

Schooner Taurus, Port Gamble.

FROM EASTERN PORTS.

Ship Bangalore, Capt. Blanchard, out 105 days from Delaware Breakwater.

FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

German ship Pindos, Capt. Timm, out 73 days from Hamburg.

The passenger steamer Cabrillo makes daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Wednesday,	Feb. 22	11:08 a.m.	4:42 a.m.
		11:29 p.m.	5:23 p.m.
Thursday,	" 23	11:59 a.m.	5:32 a.m.
			6:02 p.m.
Friday,	" 24	0:55 a.m.	6:24 a.m.
		12:56 p.m.	6:52 p.m.
Saturday,	" 25	1:34 a.m.	7:54 a.m.
		2:16 p.m.	8:05 p.m.
Sunday,	" 26	2:41 a.m.	9:31 a.m.
		3:58 p.m.	9:36 p.m.
Monday,	" 27	4:08 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
		5:28 p.m.	10:36 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 28	5:12 a.m.	12:22 p.m.
		6:45 p.m.	11:46 p.m.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, FEB. 21.

No arrivals.

SAILED.

Seven sailboats and five launches for fishing banks, and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

PORT ITEMS.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind northwest, velocity 6 miles.

The steamer Francis H. Leggett, Capt. Ranier, finished discharging that portion of her lumber cargo consigned to this port and cleared for Redondo, where she will discharge the remainder.

The schooner Meteor, Capt. Hapner, finished discharging a lumber cargo and sailed today in ballast for Port Townsend for orders.

The steamer William H. Kruger, Capt. Ahlin, has cleared from Eureka, via San Francisco, with a ful cargo of lumber consigned to wholesalers at this port.

The schooner Robert Searles, Capt. Piets, sailed today in ballast for Everett, where she will load a lumber cargo.

The schooners Ensign at Everett, Alice McDonald at Port Blakeley and Taurus at Port Gamble arrived yesterday and began loading lumber cargoes for San Pedro.

LA BLANCHE NOT DEAD.

BANGOR (Me.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The report that the famous pugilist, George La Blanche, "The Marine," had been found dead in a swamp at Alviso, Cal., is a decided mistake. La Blanche is alive and in the best of health. When told that he was thought to be dead, La Blanche laughed at the idea, and said: "I'm not quite a 'dead one' yet. I have still a few kicks left in me."

La Blanche's real name is George Blais, and he was born in Omaha in 1856.

AMERICAN BOWLING CONGRESS.

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Feb. 21.—At the business meeting of the American Bowling Congress here today, J. H. Hager of Louisville was selected as president without opposition. Philadelphia was selected as the next meeting place.

The only real contest was for the position of secretary, and Sam Karpf of Dayton, the incumbent, was reelected over A. L. Langtry of Milwaukee by a vote of 29 to 29.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
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TOOK A STRAW VOTE

Interesting Experiment in a Restaurant.

An advertising agent, representing a prominent New York magazine, while on a recent western trip, was dining one evening in a Pittsburgh restaurant.

While waiting for his order he glanced over the newspaper and noticed the advertisement of a well-known dyspepsia preparation, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. As he himself was a regular user of the tablets, he began speculating as to how many of the other traveling men in the dining-room were also friends of the popular remedy for indigestion.

He says: I counted twenty-three men at the tables and in the hotel office I took the trouble to interview them and was surprised to learn that nine of the twenty-three made a practice of taking one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal.

One of them told me he had suffered so much from stomach trouble that at one time he had been obliged to quit the road, but since using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets had been entirely free from indigestion, but he continued their use, especially while traveling, on account of irregularity in meals and because, like all traveling men, he was often obliged to eat what he could get and not always what he wanted.

Another, who looked the picture of health, said he never ate a meal without taking a Stuart Tablet afterward, because he could eat what he pleased and when he pleased without fear of a sleepless night or any other trouble.

Still another used them because he was subject to gas on stomach, causing pressure on heart and lungs, shortness of breath and distress in chest, which he no longer experienced since using the tablets regularly.

Another claimed that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets was the only safe remedy he had ever found for sour stomach and acidity. He had formerly used common soda to relieve the trouble, but the tablets were much better and safer to use.

After smoking, drinking or other excesses which weaken the digestive organs, nothing restores the stomach to a healthy, wholesome condition so effectually as Stuart's Tablets.

Stuart's Digestive Tablets contain the natural digestives, pepsin, diastase, which every weak stomach lacks, as well as nux, hydrastin and yellow parilla, and can be safely relied on as a radical cure for every form of poor digestion. Sold by druggists everywhere.

WOMAN SWINGS TRUNK.

Threatening Fire and Panic Among Occupants of Ruth-avenue Rooming-house.

Fire which started under the floor at the rear of the Admiral roominghouse, No. 734 Ruth avenue, at 1 o'clock this morning, threatened that and adjoining buildings with destruction, and caused a panic among the occupants of the place. Some of the roomers declared they believe it was incendiarism, but the police could find nothing to support such a theory.

The house quickly filled with smoke, and the frightened occupants, many scantily clad, began moving their belongings to the street. One woman was seen to swing a large trunk to her shoulder and walk down stairs with it, a feat which would have been impossible for her except under excitement. Occupants of adjoining houses also moved their belongings. The loss will amount to $150, covered by insurance. The house is owned by H. C. Smith.

After a heated debate in which forty women took part, the Bayonne, N. J., Political Study Club has voted, by a large majority, that the proper way for a girl to salute the flag is to touch the forehead with the right hand, precisely as a man does.

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This is bound to be the Manufacturing and Warehouse district of this City—The enormous trans-continental traffic of the Salt Lake Route will make this whole section indispensable to the factory and wholesale trade—already such concerns are looking and buying. In a very short time prices will be much higher—Buy now while terms are easy and no interest—investigate at once.
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LARGE LOTS $300 EASY TERMS
Monday, Feb. 27, will be Opening Day
NEAR THE SEAL GARDENS
Of the Bosshard Tract, located on the Long Beach line, 1½ miles south of the city limits. Compton avenue, the main thoroughfare between Los Angeles and Long Beach, extends along the entire western boundary of this tract.
The Streets — are improved with cement walks.
The Soil — is rich and loamy. No adobe or alkali.
Artesian Water — is piped in 4-in. mains to every lot, heavy pressure, great abundance.
After refusing many offers for this, THE CHOICEST LAND on the Long Beach line, Mr. Bosshard has finally been persuaded to sell a part of it, retaining his home with its stately shade and fruit trees. I have divided this purchase into large lots containing about three times as much ground as other lots in the vicinity, and yet the price is only
$300 including all improvements. Terms $25 Cash and $10 a month secures a lot.
Twenty-five Dollars Discount
will be allowed on all lots purchased up to and including the Opening Day. Only one lot to each purchaser. Get FREE TICKETS and maps at my office, take a Long Beach car at Sixth and Main, and ride to Latin Station.
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Take Maple Ave. car to 50th St., one short block to Main St., our branch office, or call or phone to The McCarthy Co., 203 North Broadway.

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14 Cows
At 10 a. m, Thursday, Feb. 23, at Watts Station, on Long Beach Electric line; 14 head choice Durham, Holstein milk cows, fresh on or before day of sale. Fine big milkers, in good condition and young. All farming implements. Having rented my place this stock will positively be sold without limit. 6 months' time with approved security.
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Office 730 South Spring St.

Auction
Of the entire furniture of [illegible] dence, 130 W. 17th Street, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, at 10 a. m., consisting of [illegible] rockers, center tables, couches, [illegible] tains and portiares, chiffoniers, [illegible] ing beds, oak dressers, commodes, bedding, brussels carpets and [illegible] matting, oak extension table and [illegible] ing chairs, crockery, glassware, [illegible] and coal ranges, refrigerator, [illegible] lamps, kitchen utensils, etc.
Office 203 C. M. STEVENS
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Auction
Cigar stand, stock, fixtures and [illegible] Stern will sell Friday morning at 10:30 a.m., sharp, the well-known stand, located corner of Main and [illegible] streets. Consisting of a regular [illegible] first-class cigars, tobacco, cigarettes, Showcases, wallcases, cash register. Four years' lease at $40 per month, which will be transferred by owner to paying business. The only reason for this sale is because the owner lives out of the city at once. This is a good chance for some one to get into a good paying business very cheap. Will positively be sold to the highest bidder, without reserve. Stock open for inspection. Sale takes place in office of Ely Stern, 304-305 Bryson-Lissner Building.

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Grocery store, stock and fixtures. Ely Stern will sell, Thursday morning, Feb. 23, at 10:30 a.m., at 1 South Figueroa street; the entire stock of groceries and fixtures of store doing $9 per month, good business, will sell as a whole if possible, if not will sell in lots to suit buyers; will positively be sold without reserve. Auctioneers at Stern's Mason Opera-house Building.

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Wisteria Club.

Miss Gladys Smith of No. 2240 West Pico street entertained the members of the Wisteria Club Monday afternoon. The house was filled with a profusion of ferns and carnations, and the dining-room, where refreshments were served, was sweet with the fragrance of violets. Silver candelabra, shaded with violet silk, added to the beauty of the scene. Souvenirs of the afternoon were sketches done in water-color tied with lavender ribbons. Several musical selections were given. Miss Schreiner was editress of the club paper. Those present were: Misses Charlotte Roll, Ines Ragan, Jessie Booth, Pearl Frankland, Ruth Sommerfeld, Gertrude Chase, Winona Jessop, Ora Schreiner, Beryl Brown and Harriette Chamberlain.

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The hostess wore an elegant imported gown of white crêpe silk heavily embroidered with lilacs. She was assisted by Mrs. Oliver P. Posey, Mrs. John H. Norton, Mrs. Charles H. MacFarland, Mrs. Benjamin L. Harding, Mrs. Valentine Peyton and Mrs. John R. Newberry, Miss E. Metcalf, who is Mrs. Wilson's house guest, punched the scores, assisted by Misses Mazie Mather, Delia Simonds and Marguerite Buckler.

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For Visiting Women.

A pretty card party was given Monday afternoon by Miss May Conway at her home No. 1422 South Main street. The affair was complimentary to Mrs. Josephine Cobb of San Francisco and Miss Frances Moffatt of Denver, who are here on a visit. In view of Washington's birthday occurring during the week the cherry tree incident was given prominence in the decorations. Hatchets and small American flags were everywhere in evidence and together with flowers and greens added to the adornment of the parlors. The score cards were in the national colors, shaped like shields and decorated with a hatchet. The same pleasing idea was carried out in the refreshments. Progressive whist was played. Miss Hermaline Marmont winning the first prize, a picture of a belle of Washington's time. A silk American flag was awarded Miss Antoinette Larronde. A consolation prize, a bonbon box in the form of a three-cornered hat and filled with candied cherries, was carried off by Miss Kate Hannan, while the other, a toy hatchet, went to Mrs. Frank McPartlin. The hostess was assisted in receiving by her sister, Miss Margaret Conway. Among those present were Mmes. Harry Stanley, James Donovan and Joseph McLaughlin of San Francisco, Misses Nell Reardon, Katherine Small, May Lucey, Mabel Forbush, Clara Kramer, Margaret Hopkins, Ella Kramer, Sue Donahue, Elizabeth Klinkhammer, Margaret Malony, Mary Reardon, Therese Durnerin, Margaret Donovan, Marion Dunn and Francis Malony and Mary McGarry.

WED AND OFF TO EUROPE.

DRISCOLL-BACON NUPTIALS AT SANTA BARBARA.

Groom is Driven to Old Mission in His Own Cab, Which Was Especially Brought from San Francisco. Bride Wears Rare Lace, Long in Possession of the Family.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 21.—Miss Alice Bacon and Thomas Driscoll were united in marriage at the Old Mission this morning. Thomas Driscoll, the groom, was the first of the bridal party to reach the church. He was driven up in his own handsome cab, which he had brought down from San Francisco especially for the wedding, his coachman being on the seat. He in company with his best man entered the church from a side entrance and awaited the arrival of the bride.

A carriage bearing the bridesmaids, Miss Eleanor Phelps and Miss Catherine Kutz, then drove up to the church steps and discharged its occupants. The bridesmaids were gowned in pink silk mull and carried white carnations. They awaited the bride, who was accompanied by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Bacon, and her maid of honor, Miss Cornelia Kempff. The bridal party entered the church, Miss Bacon being supported by her father. Here the bride was met by the groom, who led her to the altar while the strains of Lohengrin were wafted from the church organ.

The bride wore white silk with long train, overhung with a large quantity of lace. This lace was of rare quality, and of special significance for the wedding, as it has been a possession of the Bacon family for many years. She carried Bridal roses, and at her throat sparkled a diamond and pearl brooch, a wedding gift of the groom.

The groom wore the conventional dress suit with a white rose in his buttonhole. He was assisted by his best man, Edward J. Tobin, who was his college roommate. The ushers were James K. Moffitt, Richard N. Tobin, Thomas M. Kennedy and Neal Powers, all of San Francisco.

The wedding ceremony was performed by his grace, Archbishop P. Q. Riordan of San Francisco, who was assisted by Father P. E. Mulligan of San Francisco, Father S. M. Sweeney of Oakland and Father Gleason, S.J., and by Superior Glauber of the Old Mission.

At the conclusion of the church service, the bridesmaids led the procession from the church, carriages being in waiting at the door. Mr. and Mrs. Driscoll were driven in his carriage to the Bacon home at No. 215 East Mission street. They were followed by the other members of the Bacon and Driscoll families, wedding guests and invited friends. A reception was held at the bride's home, which lasted for half an hour, following which a wedding breakfast was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Driscoll left by train for Los Angeles. From there they will go on East to New York and Washington. After attending the President's inauguration, they will sail on a tour of indefinite length through Europe. They expect to visit all points of interest there, taking an automobile trip through Southern France.

VENTURA COUNTY.

CLOSE CALLS IN FLOOD.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Feb. 21.—The Ventura River was a raging torrent in the last heavy rain Sunday, and reports are coming in from the mountain section, where the river finds its way through narrow cañons. Near Matilija Springs Frank Dennis, Jr., and Thomas Chrisman, Jr., were capsized while trying to cross in a buggy. The vehicle and horses and the young men were washed down stream, the latter finding their way to shore after a terrific struggle, forty rods below. It took three hours to get the team and buggy out.

A little lower down stream two Chinese and a white boy attempted to cross. Their horse stumbled and fell when the water was up to his back. He became entangled in his struggles in barbed wire and was drawn under and drowned. The occupants of the rig landed neck deep in the flood, but succeeded in reaching shore.

Near the Sturgis ranch on the Santa Ana Clarence Chrisman lost a valuable horse which was being led across the stream behind a buggy. The animal was washed down stream and drowned.

HERE AND THERE.

Mrs. Mary Guiberson, wife of Samuel Guiberson of Piru, was buried yesterday, the funeral being largely attended. She was a native of Missouri, and aged 63 years. She came to Ventura county in 1869. Mrs. Guiberson crossed the plains in 1860 and was married in Fort Laramie. She leaves a widower, five sons and three daughters.

A brass band has been organized here. The director is Robert Lavare; business manager, Charles Menzel; chairman, L. R. Boyer; treasurer, W. H. Burns; librarian, Lyman Holloway.

A movement has been started by the people of Saticoy and vicinity to build a bridge across the Santa Clara River. The subject was broached before the Board of Trade here last night, the desire being to have Venturans stand in and help enlist the help of the Board of Supervisors. There is already one bridge spanning the river at Montalvo, four miles south. The people of Saticoy, Los Posas, Simi and the Saticoy section insist that that is too far out of the way for their use.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Volk, former residents of this city, but more recently of Long Beach, were visitors in Ventura today with their daughter.

ARIZONA.

YUMA HAS HIGH WET MARK.

WATER, WATER EVERYWHERE, AND MORE COMING.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Water, water, more water, no end of water seems to be Yuma's lot. Ten days ago Yuma passed the high-water mark of the recent flood, when those who did not get soaked got badly scared, and the river reached twenty-nine feet. After the Colorado River went down and the flooded valleys again came into view Yuma farmers felt very much relieved, as little damage was done except to hay and in some respects it was a benefit, but now the story is different, as too much water will do much damage.

The Colorado in connection with the Gila has again assumed a threatening aspect and has been rising for several days and now registers twenty-six feet, partly flooding the valley and again putting the citizens on the defensive.

All day and tonight men and scraper teams are at work throwing up dirt to still further strengthen the embankments against any unexpected rise of the river, which might flood the town. Reports of a reliable nature from Gila Bend, Sentinel and Gila City indicate that the Gila River is again as high as it was ten days ago and still rising, which would indicate higher water than has been seen here since 1891.

Reports from Bill Williams Fork on the Colorado say there is a large body of water coming from that direction which, if true, and if it were to reach here with the flood waters of the Gila, would cause higher water than Yuma has ever seen.

The probabilities are, however, that the waters of the Gila will have passed on to the Gulf before the other arrives and Yuma may be spared. The rain continues here.

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	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
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Washington	36	24	32	Buffalo	36	32	34
Pittsburgh	44	34	39	Cincinnati	42	36	39
Chicago	32	28	30	St. Paul	34	30	32
St. Louis	42	26	34	Kansas City	36	28	32
Los Angeles	76	58	67				

*The maximum is for February 20; the minimum for February 21. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 21.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.07; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 39 deg. and 70 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 55 per cent.; 5 p.m., 64 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 8 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 76 deg.; minimum, 33 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—A storm in the Puget Sound country is giving rain to Cape Mendocino and east to Montana and Idaho. Cloudy weather prevails in California, with unsettled conditions in the South, apparently from a disturbance in the ocean south of Point Concepcion.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued cloudy, unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The storm continues over Washington. Rain has fallen from Roseburg northward. At Tatoosh Island, a maximum wind velocity of sixty-four miles an hour, from the south, is reported, and at North Head, 44, southeast. Forecast:

California, north of Tehachepi: Fair Wednesday; light north winds. South of Tehachepi: Cloudy Wednesday; light north winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Wednesday; light north winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Wednesday; continued warm; light north winds.

Sacramento: Fair Wednesday; light north winds.

Fresno: Fair Wednesday; light north winds.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 25.75 feet. High flood expected tomorrow.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE CHILdren, who have been admitted in the Los Angeles Orphan Asylum, Boyle Heights, since the last publication:

Half orphans—Josefa Carrasco, 10 years old; Edena Villa, 2; Natalia Valdez, 12; Lily Addison, 11; Lena German, 11; Beatrice Florence Wuthke, 7; Florence Wuthke, 3; Margarite Wuthke, 1; Mary Domingue, 1; Martha Brook, 12; Irene Den, 7; Arcadia Den, 6; Regina Ursuna, 13; Nellie Corrals, 11; Rosy Gilman, 9; Lydia Elmar, 6; Blanche Bertrand, 11; Leonie Bertrand, 9; Martha Lopez, 11; Condelaria Lopez, 11; Conception Lopez, 9; Matilda Lopez, 7; Miguela Hernandez, 9; Lena Jones, 10; Grace Domingus, 9; Laura Domingus, 6.

Whole orphans—Laura Pereida, 7; Amy Pereida, 5; Laura Moreno, 4; May Charles, 9; Lulu Gilman, 13.

SISTER EULALIE, Superioress, Los Angeles Orphan Asylum, Boyle Heights, Jan. 24, 1906. 2

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$1250—A fine new 6-room bungalow, modern in every respect, rooms very beautifully arranged and tinted, polished floors; large lot to 15-foot alley.

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FOR SALE—2 LOTS ON GREGORY AVE. in El Centro tract, Colegrove, 50x150 to 15 foot alley; price $450, if taken at once. Address F. O. THROOP, No. 919 Ortega st., city. 22

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Choice lot, 42nd st, $500.
Lots in Sunset Heights, $250.
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FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAIN, CLOSE IN, level lot, $2100, sewer, sidwalks, gas, cars, choice neighborhood; fine view; adjoining lot $2500. WESTON, 331 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—GOOD CHEAP LOTS IN THE growing west; cash or small payment down, easy terms; can help you build. D. C. HARKNESS & CO., 233 Copp Bldg. 23

FOR SALE—W. WASHINGTON ST., AB-phalt business street, corner lots $1600 up, fine as quick; bargains. COLE & CO., Washington and Vermont ave. 22

FOR SALE—$450; ELEGANT LOTS, 37TH, 40th st., Compton ave.; cement curb, sidewalk, street graded, oiled. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 23

FOR SALE — $2000; CHEAPEST CORNER, very close in, 50x125, southwest corner Court and Fremont. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—JUST A FINE 50-FOOT LOT on Orchid Heights, close to cars, only $650; you must hurry. E. A. MILLER, 206½ S. Broadway. 22

FOR SALE—$12,000; 52x165, WEST SIDE Flower near 10th, with 2 houses, income nearly 7. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—LOTS ON PACIFIC ELECTRIC, distance 15 minutes; prices $250 to $450, on easy terms. C. S. MILLER, 105 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE FINEST LOTS in Hollywood; east front, easy terms. Address X, box 88, TIMES OFFICE. 22

FOR SALE — LOT ON SEVENTH ST., HARbor Park tract, Wilmington, $1000. Address M. B. HILL, 7th and Figueroa st., city.

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES AT BROOKLYN Heights, $2000. WAYE & CO., 139 American ave., Long Beach, Cal. 29

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE CHOICEST LOTS in Hollywood; must sell. Address OWNER, X, box 76, Times Office.

FOR SALE — 4 60-FT. LOTS, CLOSE IN; price reasonable. C. S. MILLER, 105 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

GEM OF HOLLYWOOD TRACT.

VERMONT AND FRANKLIN AVES.

LOTS $500 UP; 1-3 CASH.

After three months' labor preparing this beautiful section of East Hollywood for homeseekers, Croake & McCann's Gem of Hollywood Tract is almost ready for the market; and will be placed on sale in another fortnight. In the meantime shade and ornamental trees and palms will be set out along each street, and the finishing touches be given to this attractive subdivision. Streets have been graded, cement curbs and sidewalks laid, and the lots leveled, so as to form perfect sites on which to build. Building restrictions of $1500, $2000 and $2500 have been placed upon these lots, according to their location; an alignment of 25 feet from the property line will be incorporated in each deed, or contract. No stores, churches or public buildings will be permitted in this tract, which will be hedged around with every safeguard necessary to protect intending residents.

The Gem of Hollywood tract lies between Vermont and Maubert, Franklin and Melbourne aves.; and is located only two blocks north of Prospect Boulevard, and the Hollywood electric car line. It is only 22 minutes' ride from the business center of Los Angeles, and at the end of the 5-cent limit. The land is gently rolling, affording perfect drainage. In altitude it is 453 feet above the sea level; 75 feet higher than the eastern boundary of Hollywood at Prospect ave. and Center st. and 202 ft. higher than the corner of Third and Spring sts., Los Angeles. On a clear day the Pacific Ocean can be distinctly seen from this tract. It is protected from the rude north winds by the high hills just beyond. The soil is of decomposed granite—and admits of a luxurious growth of flower, shrub and garden truck. It is almost frostless. Is located only two blocks from the Letts mansion.

Lots are 50x135; and will be sold at $500; $550 and $600, on terms of one-third cash, balance, six, twelve and eighteen months. As there are only ninety-four lots in this whole subdivision, and twenty-two have already been selected, they will not last long. It will be well, therefore, for intending purchasers to go out today; and after looking over the situation and surroundings, make their selection immediately. Plats and price lists can be obtained at this office or at the office on tract.

CROAKE & M'CANN, 235 Douglas Block.
Home Phone 1812.

FOR SALE— 22

$850.
$950.
57x228.

Jefferson near South Park ave.

Sole Agents CONWAY & KESSLER.
22 605 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES IN VERNON DISTrict, 900 feet frontage on Alameda st., Southern Pacific R.R., and 1300 feet on Santa Fe ave., electric railway on this street, about 400 feet from Santa Fe R.R. tracks, the finest piece of close-in property in the southeast, section of the city, for subdivision or industrial purposes; price $1000 per acre, one-third cash, lots in tract, ½ mile south of this are selling on basis of $2750 to $5000 per acre. LEO J. MAGUIRE, 310 Bradbury Bldg. 26

FOR SALE—ONLY $5 DOWN AND $5 PER month. G. GREENWOOD, 260 Frost Bldg. Home 'Phone 7146. 23

FOR SALE—Fine lot on Angeleno Heights tract, 317-foot front.

FOR SALE—On Downey ave, near Pritchard, 50x 146.

FOR SALE—Near Downey and Eastlake Park, 100x190.

FOR SALE—On Ezra st. near Stephenson, 50x150.

FOR SALE—Business lot in Glendale, 50x140.

FOR SALE—At Clearwater, 100x150.

FOR SALE—Lot at Ivanhoe, on Glendale line.

I will furnish you sufficient lumber on easy terms to build your house. I also have several cottages, $50 down and $15 per month.
OWNER, 423 Stimson Blk., Home phone 6491.

FOR SALE—"WE SELL LOTS."
Reader, we have the sole agency for 30 choice lots on Catalina and Berenda, bet., 7th, 8th and 9th sts. In the Wilshire boulevard Heights; building restriction nothing but 2-story dwellings. First-class improvements; magnificent view; only a few blocks from Westlake Park. We will guarantee if you will go and look you say as others, Its the finest residence property on earth. When you go to this property you do not have to apologize to any one. You pass through nothing but fine buildings. Come early, and get your choice; easy terms; one-fourth cash.
LEE A M'CONNELL & CO.,
26 145 South Broadway.

FOR SALE—
That snap I advertised last Sunday on Centennial was picked up early on Monday. Here are two others: 50x145, east front, 6th ave. near 25th, only $700; next lot is held at $850.

Southwest corner of 7th and Coronado, 50x 140, no restrictions, double clean corner, two feet above grade, the very cream of the city, only $4650; adjoining inside lots held at $2000 each. You can turn this at a big advance at once. Don't delay.
W. L. TRUITT,
Home 2911. 525 Douglas Bldg.
Main 5877.

I CAN MAKE MONEY FOR YOU.

FOR SALE—
CHAS. S. MANN'S
MELROSE AVENUE TRACT,
LOCATED IN BEAUTIFUL HOLLYWOOD SECTION.
Large, level lots, 50, 60 and 100 feet front by 142.42 feet deep, with cement curbs, gravel sidewalks, water mains. Prices $300 up. Positively the lowest prices and the best terms offered on this class of property. Take Colegrove car to Western ave., where our branch office is located. Representative always at the office. Don't fail to investigate.
CHAS. S. MANN, 315 W. Fourth st. Home 'Phone 4171.

FOR SALE—
Hillside lots, elegant soil, 50x150 feet at $100 a lot; $10 down. This is less than 14 cents a square foot; also lots facing east on Allesandro st., 50x150, for $300; also lots facing north on Aliso alley, 30 feet along entire side; lot double front at $250 on Pacific Electric line, Edendale.

Also N.W. corner Bellevue ave. and Casco st., 47x142½, for $575. S.W. corner Casco and Kane st., facing east looking down Kane st., 49.16x140 feet, $390. This is less than price per front foot adjoining inside lots.
M. L. WICKS,
128 Hellman Block,
Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
TWO
GOOD
LOT BUYS.
$1000—52x150 on the south side of 21st st., just west of Vermont ave.; water piped on the lot and shed on the rear.
$1100—50x210 on the south side of 25th st., just west of Vermont ave.
We consider both good buys.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN,
L.A.R.B. 440 Douglas Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—
TWO LOTS FOR PRICE OF ONE.
This may sound like a fish story, but come up with your money and I will deliver the goods; I will sell you one east front lot on Burlington and one on Westlake ave.; just north of First street for $700. Most people hold their lots in this block at $950 per lot.
E. L. WILDY,
Dealer in Snaps.
22 206 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—OWN YOUR OWN HOME.
Just think of it! We will sell you a fine lot for $400; $20 down and $10 a month, S.E., north of 29th; 2 car lines; all street work done, and paid for. Nearly sold out in a hurry. Nothing like it in the city. Never pay rent. Want the last one?
GUS B. HILL, Owner,
With Strong & Dickinson,
135 South Broadway.

FOR SALE—CITY LOTS.
$1100—W. 21st st. near Ridge residence; north front; 50x125.
$1100—Near Lucas and Third st., 40x140.
$1250—Manhattan Place near Washington, 42x125.

CARDWELL & TRUBY,
519 Grant Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.
Home 7373. Main 4174. 22

FOR SALE—
LOTS CHEAP ON YOUR OWN TERMS; $166 to $250, back near Echo Park and Sunset boulevard; 12 minutes from city center; 3 car lines. STEPHENS INVESTMENT CO., suite 520, Wilcox Bldg., cor. Second and Spring.

FOR SALE—$450; FINE BUILDING LOTS, all covered with fruit trees in full bearing; cement curbs and sidewalks; streets oiled and graded; 38th and Compton avenue. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—BY STRONG & DICKINSON.
HERE YOU ARE.
JUST WHAT YOU HAVE
BEEN WAITING FOR.
ALL THESE MANY YEARS.
THE CENTRAL PARK TRACT,
RIGHT ON CENTRAL AVENUE,
BETWEEN 49TH AND 50TH STS.
THE CREAM OF ALL
CENTRAL AVE. SUBDIVISIONS.
CHOICE LEVEL LOTS AT
$550 UP.
EASY TERMS.
$1500 BUILDING RESTRICTIONS,
TO INSURE NEAT LITTLE HOMES.
PRICE INCLUDES THE STREET WORK.
LOOK THIS UP AT ONCE,
FOR IT WILL NOT LAST LONG.
TAKE CENTRAL AVE. CAR.
DIRECT TO THE PROPERTY. CALL ON
R. DUVALL & CO., AGTS ON TRACT,
OR
STRONG & DICKINSON,
TEL. 1272. 135 S. BROADWAY.
OFFICE OPEN MONDAY AND
SATURDAY NIGHTS.
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FOR SALE—BY STRONG & DICKINSON.
TAKE A LOOK AT STRONG & DICKINSON'S MAIN AND MONETA-AVE. TRACT, LOCATED ON MAIN AND MONETA AVE. AND 48TH ST.; CHOICE LEVEL LOTS AT ONLY $400——ONLY $400.
¼ DOWN, BALANCE IN
6, 12 AND 18 MONTHS.
THIS TRACT HAS THE ADVANTAGE OF HAVING THE MAIN-ST. BOULEVARD, 80 FEET WIDE, ON ONE SIDE, AND THE MONETA-AVE. CAR LINE ON THE OTHER SIDE.
$1200 BUILDING RESTRICTIONS TO INSURE NEAT LITTLE HOMES.
IS CLOSE TO THE STREET RY. CO.'S BARN AND SOUTH PARK.
ONLY 3 BLOCKS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL.
TAKE MAPLE-AVE. CAR TO 48TH ST., GO ONE BLOCK WEST.
OFFICE AND AGENT ON THE TRACT.
LOOK THIS UP AT ONCE, FOR IT IS ONLY A SMALL TRACT, AND WILL NOT LAST LONG.
O. J. LAIRY, TRACT AGENT.
STRONG & DICKINSON,
TEL. 1272. 135 S. BROADWAY.
OFFICE OPEN MONDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS.
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FOR SALE—BY STRONG & DICKINSON.
HERE YOU ARE, THE BEST YET.
STRONG & DICKINSON'S
FIGUEROA STREET TRACT,
CONTAINING FORTY ACRES,
LYING ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIGUEROA STREET.
(EVERY ONE KNOWS WHAT THAT STREET IS.)
AND BETWEEN THORPE AND VERNON AVES.
FINE LARGE LEVEL LOTS.
AT FROM ONLY $350 UP.
TERMS ¼ DOWN, BALANCE IN
6, 12, 18 MONTHS.
WE BOUGHT THIS PROPERTY FOR ⅓ WHAT ADJOINING PROPERTY IS NOW HELD AT, CONSEQUENTLY WE CAN SELL AT THE LOW PRICES WE HAVE ON THE LOTS.
$1500 BUILDING RESTRICTIONS.
TAKE REDONDO CAR TO FIGUEROA ST.
WALK SOUTH TO THORPE ST.
AGENT ON THE GROUND TO SHOW YOU THE PROPERTY.
MONETA-AVE. CARS WILL SOON BE RUNNING, AND ONLY ONE BLOCK AWAY.
PRICE INCLUDES STREET WORK.
THESE LOTS ARE ALL GENUINE BARGAINS.
AT THIS PRICE, BEING FROM $100 TO $150 CHEAPER THAN ANYTHING IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD.
WE BUY RIGHT, CONSEQUENTLY CAN SELL RIGHT.
MR. F. H. BRADFORD WILL BE ON THE GROUND TO SHOW THE PROPERTY.
LOOK THIS UP AT ONCE AND GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR.
STRONG & DICKINSON,
TEL. 1272. 135 S. BROADWAY.
OFFICE OPEN MONDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS.
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FOR SALE—
$1500 EACH; HARVARD BL'VD., EAST FRONTS.
TWO BARGAINS; ONLY FEW LOTS.
S. OF THE CAR LINE.
LIES BEAUTIFULLY.
INVESTIGATE.
FORRESTER & SONS,
441 DOUGLAS BLDG.
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FOR SALE—WESTMORELAND TRACT, ON Arapahoe street, north of 10th st.; size 40x 160 ft., for $2250. Only $950 cash, balance at 4 per cent.
HERRON-BAXTER REALTY CO.,
L.A.R.B. 200-201 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Three choice lots at much less than their value, together on Central ave., corner on W. Eleventh and one on Florence Heights, W. 21st st.
GORDON & CO.,
22 254 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—NEED MONEY, WILL SACRIfice 4 well-located lots in southwest for $1800 cash. Adjoining lots selling for $2400. All street improvements made. I am no agent, but private party. Write for description. H. Z. TILLOTSON, The Revere, 323 West Second st. 28

FOR SALE—SAVE THE COMMISSION AND buy of the owner; two of the choicest corners and one inside lot, all 75x173, and on the right side of the street in the famous W. G. Nevin tract, for sale. Call up WILL E. CHAPIN, care THE TIMES.

FOR SALE—2 LOTS 50x125, ON ORANGE st., $700 each.
4 lots, 50x135, on Shatto st., $600 each, between Witmer and Valencia sts., they need to be filled. Owner 634 S. SPRING ST. 22

FOR SALE—$850—
BARGAIN.
Lot on San Pedro street, east front, near 39th, 50x140 to alley. Worth $1000, only $750 cash needed to handle this.
W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—$400 BUYS A LOT ON 50TH ST., Figueroa Park, ¼ cash; see it quadruple in value, large fruit trees, fine residence section, cement walks, curbs, oiled streets. F. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 21

FOR SALE—$2500.
House and three lots, 45x138 each, near Pico and Cahuenga streets. This is a corner lot, look it up.
W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg. 22

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
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CLOSE IN, SOUTHWEST.

$1475—W. 37th st., 1¼ blks. Grand ave., 50x130.
$1900—Bush st., near W. 16th, 50x180.
$2100—W. 17th, near Toberman, 50x150.
$2300—W. 12th, near Figueroa, 50x150.

SOUTHWEST.

$675—W. 40th, near Vermont, 50x120.
$875—Harvard boulevard, near W. 27th, 50x160.
$1050—W. 23d st., near Vermont, 50x145.
$1150—W. 39th st., near Kansas, 50x125.
$1200—Corner near 20th and Vermont, 50x135.
$1475—Orchard ave. near West Adams, 50x135.
$1550—Near Menlo and West Adams, 50x140.
$1600—W. 28th st., near Hope, 50x133.

WEST ADAMS HEIGHTS WAY.
HIGH GROUND.

$750—Near W. Adams and Arlington, 50x150.
$1025—Van Ness ave., near W. 36th, 50x150.
$1050—W. 20th, near Hermosa, 40x130.
$1100—Near W. 23d and Western ave., 50x128.
$1250—W. 23d, near Cimarron, 50x180.
$1300—Near W. Washington & Hermosa, 50x125.
$1350—Bet. W. Adams and W. 24th st., 50x150.
$2100—Near Hobart blvd. and Oxford, 52x150.

CORNERS.

$1600—Corner near W. 25th & Cimarron, snap.
$1750—Corner La Salle and W. 21st, 125x150.
$2400—Corner W. 23d and Hermosa, 90x125.
$7750—Cor. W. Washington, near Hobart blvd., 60x142.
$3000—Cor. W. 23d and Kinney Heights, 75x150.
$3000—Cor. W. Washington and Gramercy Place, 150x125.

(2) BLOCKS WEST OF FIGUEROA ST.

$3000—W. Fifth st., 45x143.
$2950—Boylston st., 50x134.
$2275—Near Bixel and W. Sixth st., 50x150.
$2775—Near St. Paul and W. Fifth, 50x150.

CORNERS.

$2500—S.W. cor. near Maryland, 50x150.
$3600—N.E. cor. near W. Sixth st., 58x150.
$4500—N.E. cor. near Arnold st., 72x136.
$6000—N.W. cor. near Boylston, 109x118.
$5000—N.W. cor. near Bixel, 77x142.
$10,000—N.W. cor. near Lucas, 162x150.
$15,000—N.E. cor. near Orange, 133x150.

WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

$1750—Elden near Pico, 50x142.
$1825—Lake near W. Sixth st., 50x139.
$1900—Westmoreland tract, 50x150.
$2000—Alvarado Terrace, 50x150.
$2250—Bonnie Brae, near Pico, snap.
$2500—Near W. Seventh and Garland, 50x130.
$2750—Alvarado near W. Sixth, 50x150.
$3000—Near Lake and W. 11th, 80x150.

VERY CLOSE TO WESTLAKE PARK.

$1100—W. Ninth and Vermont, 50x140.
$1225—Bet. W. Seventh and W. 46th, 50x150.
$1800—Near Hoover st., 61x146.
$1850—Near Wilshire boulevard, 50x170.
$1900—Vermont ave. and W. Seventh, 50x140.
$2000—Near Coronado, 50x146.
$2150—Miami near W. Fifth, 50x170.
$2300—Vergil, near W. Sixth, 50x170.
$2500—Commonwealth and Sunset Park, 50x170.

CORNERS.

$2475—Corner W. Sixth st., 55x170.
$2800—Cor. Commonwealth, 55x170.
$3400—Cor. near Wilshire boulevard, 61x170.
$3600—Cor. near Rampart and W. 7th, 54x130.
$4000—Corner near Miami, 110x170.
$5200—Corner Commonwealth, 150x170.

F. W. FLINT, JR.,
236 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.
MEMBER L. A. REALTY BOARD.
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FOR SALE—
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
MAIN AND FIGUEROA STREET TRACT,
NUMBER TWO,
AND
the best on the market should be good enough for you.
IS NOW COMPLETED.
THE STREET WORK,
THE STREET CURB,
THE 5-FOOT SIDEWALKS,
THE HANDSOME PILLARS,
at the street entrances are all completed. The widening of Main st. from Jefferson to 37th st. has passed the Council and been ordered done at once.

The electric company has been waiting for this widening and the cars will be operating very shortly, so do not put off selecting your lots for home or investment any longer as the prices are unsteady and may be raised at any time now, and surely will when the cars get in full operation. They demand a raise of at least $100 for nothing inside of the city limits and even outside are being offered as cheap as the lots in
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
MAIN AND FIGUEROA ST. TRACT NO. 2.
Reader! If you are not familiar with this location, or if you have not been out Main st. recently to Slauson ave. over one mile south of
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
MAIN AND FIGUEROA ST. TRACT NO. 2.
Then we advise and invite you to take a ride with us at our expense to investigate our new openings. You will be surprised to see what a different appearance has been made in the last few months and to see the buildings going up.

WHY IS ALL THIS?

"Simply because it is one of the finest residence districts in the popular southwest." The soil is unsurpassed for all kinds of fruit, flowers and vegetables. The street work is A-1. The building restrictions assure one of having nice and respectable neighbors. The electric service cannot be made better, the time being only 12 to 15 minutes to the center of town. Main st. is paved to within two blocks of our tract and macadamized the remaining distance past our tract to Vernon ave.

Taking everything into consideration, what more does one want, and what is surer of an advance in prices? Everything now is picked up inside the city limits (acreage we refer to), at such a high price that lots must be sold much farther out at a higher price.

REMEMBER—WE ADVISE YOU
REMEMBER—WE INVITE YOU
TO BUY THEM NOW—THAT IS ALL WE CAN DO.

——LOTS $650 UP——

Go down yourself; inspect the tract, and we know you will be convinced as to its being what we represent.

Agent on the tract at Forty-first st. and Old Main or Moneta ave.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN,
440 DOUGLAS BLDG.
STRONG & DICKINSON,
135 S. BROADWAY.
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FOR SALE—
SPLENDID LOTS FOR HOME OR INVESTMENTS.

$1400—Near Cimarron and 22nd st	50x160
$1250—Near Arlington and 22nd st	50x130
$2300—Fine corner on Arlington st.	83x150
$4,500—Cimarron near 22d st.	150x150
$1500—Near Hermosa and 25th	50x150
$1875—Near Arlington and 23rd st	75x150
$2500—Near Cimarron and 24th st	75x150
$2500—Cor. Arlington near Adams	68x150
$3500—Adams near Hermosa	75x150
$4800—Cor. on Adams and Hermosa	75x183
$1500—Near Hermosa and 25th st	50x150
$1500—Near W. Arlington	50x135
$1500—Near Cimarron and 25th st	50x150
$2800—Near 7th, Hartford, close in	50½x130
$2250—Union ave., 1 block from 9th	50x135
$2700—East front, Westmoreland tract	50x142
$2000—W. 6th near Bonnie Brae	51x150
$1700—Nevin tract, east front	74x178
$2250—S.W. cor. near 11th and Lake	70x150
$2300—W. Adams Hts., east front lot	50x150
$2300—Grand View, near 9th, E. front	50x150
$400—N. of Jefferson, near Western	40x130
$1150—S. of Adams, near Western ave.	40x130
$3100—S.E. cor. Elden and 10th	80x142
$800—Normandie, south of Adams	50x150
$800—Brighton, fine lot	50x143
$850—Harvard, close to Adams	50x150
$900—Normandie, south of Adams	50x150
$950—Lasalle near Adams	50x146
$950—Halldale, south of Adams	50x146
$950—S. front, Harvard, near Adams	50x125
$1050—Cor. Halldale, S. of Adams	50x150
$1200—Corner on Halldale	50x146

Members L. A. Realty Board.
ALTHOUSE BROS.
234 Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway.
Main 262; Home Ex. 262.

FOR SALE — THE SALT LAKE ROAD IS now running, for city lots and State lands in Southern Nevada, with water, at $1.25 per acre; also snaps in the Muddy and Vegas Valleys, see J. F. M'PHERSON, 403 Stimson Blk., corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
MAIN STREET BOULEVARD TRACT
is almost sold out. Only a few lots left. Just think, only 60 days on the market and almost sold out. 6 or 8 houses now built, costing from $1500 up to $4500.
The street work is just being completed. Our improvements, with handsome pillars at street entrances, are very pleasing to the purchasers, that being the reason the lots have sold so rapidly.
The fine, full-bearing fruit and walnut trees are another reason.

LOCATION.

Main street boulevard, 80 feet wide, the driving street of the city, passes

BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
MAIN STREET BOULEVARD TRACT
on the east. Vernon ave., a coming cross business street, on the south.

Drive out Main street boulevard to 42d st., or take Maple ave. car to 42d st., then one short block west to office, if you want something good, either for a home or an investment; do not delay; go down and investigate

BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
MAIN STREET BOULEVARD TRACT.
Agent on tract.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, Owners,
22 440 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
LARGEST LOTS IN SOUTHWEST ARE IN
YOUNG & ADAMS' FIGUEROA ST. TRACT.

NOTICE! WE CALL ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT WE ADVERTISE THE SIZE OF OUR LOTS, WHICH ARE
50x165— —50x165— —50x165
FROM THE WAY THIS TRACT IS SELLING IT IS EVIDENT THE HOMESEKKERS APPRECIATE THE SIZE OF OUR LOTS.

SEVEN HOUSES TO BE COMMENCED RIGHT AWAY ON THE TRACT.

ALL STREET WORK COMPLETED; WATER PIPED TO EACH LOT; FINE, FERTILE SOIL.

SITUATION—FIGUEROA AND BAXTER (46TH) ST. REDONDO ELECTRIC (GARDENA BRANCH) RUNS ALONG THE TRACT, GET OFF AT BAXTER ST.

PRICE $600. THESE LOTS ARE WORTH MORE MONEY, AND WILL SOON BE ADVANCED.

YOUNG & ADAMS (OWNERS.) 227 S. HILL ST. (GROUND FLOOR.) AGENT ON TRACT.
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FOR SALE—
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
ROYAL TRACT.
ROYAL TRACT.
THIS IS OUR NEW ONE
and only 43 lots left unsold. Remember this is only a small tract (10 acres,) 39 lots—16 lots sold. The street (45th) is now being graded and will have 5-foot sidewalks, curb and everything first-class. Water and shade trees in front of each lot.
Building restrictions $1500; 20 feet back from property line. This will assure one purchasing a lot of having good neighbors.
The soil is a fine sandy loam, splendid for fruit and flowers.
The car service is good and only 15 fare; 15 minutes from tract to Second and Spring sts.
We want to close this small tract out at once and will make the prices and terms very low until street work is completed.

REWARD OF $50
for the first, second and third houses completed on tract in 90 days.

OUR TERMS ARE LIBERAL.

Take Redondo electric car to Figueroa st., and one short block south is
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN'S
ROYAL TRACT.
BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, Owners,
28 440 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
FREE EXCURSION
to
$300 SUNNYSIDE PARK $300
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$300 SUNNYSIDE PARK $300
This is your last opportunity to secure a quarter or half-acre lot at Sunnyside Park, as there are only a few lots left and they will be quickly snapped up.
The people know a good thing when they see it, and they are buying lots in Sunnyside Park with a free will. One man telegraphed north for his money to enable him to buy a lot at Sunnyside Park.
IT IS THE ONLY TRACT of one-quarter and one-half-acre lots around Los Angeles that has
CEMENT CURBS AND WALKS,
TWO CAR LINES,
TWO SCHOOLS.
LOTS ARE LARGE AND LEVEL WITH GOOD DRAINAGE.
SOIL RICH AND LOAMY.
PURE ARTESIAN WATER PIPED TO LOTS.
GRAND MOUNTAIN VIEW.
SMALL PAYMENT DOWN AND
$10 A MONTH.
Free car tickets and maps at my office.
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FOREST HEIGHTS.
MAKE YOUR HOME
ON HIGH GROUND.
BUY CLOSE IN.
HIGH GROUND FOR HEALTH.
FOREST HEIGHTS.
Beautiful, sunny slope, surrounded by stately old trees; magnificent view; close in as 19th st.; no such property in the whole city at any such prices; on car line; beautiful as a natural park; don't fail to see it.

PRICES.
$350 AND UP.
$25 CASH, $10 PER MONTH.
PRICES INCLUDE ALL STREET WORK AND CEMENT SIDEWALKS.
Take Brooklyn ave. car, north on Main st., north of 5th st., to our branch office at present end of Brooklyn ave. car line, or call on
STONE & BLADES,
127-128 Henne Blk., 122 W. 3d st.
28 Home phone 8171; Sunset Main 3068.

FOR SALE—BY STRONG & DICKINSON.
EAST JEFFERSON STREET TRACT.
THE NEWEST SUB. YET.
LOTS 40x150.
ON E. 39TH, 31ST, JEFFERSON,
AND LONG BEACH CAR LINE.
ONLY 12 MINUTES TO HEART OF CITY.
STREET WORK NOW GOING ON.
LOTS FROM $450 TO $550, ON EASY TERMS.
TAKE SLAUSON AVE. CAR ON MAIN ST., DIRECT TO OUR OFFICE, CORNER 39TH AND LONG BEACH LINE.
LOOK THIS UP AT ONCE.
STRONG & DICKINSON,
135 S. BROADWAY.
OFFICE OPEN MONDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS. 22

FOR SALE—
BUILDER'S BARGAIN.
$5250—FIVE GOOD BUILDING LOTS.
BARGAIN; VERMONT NEAR 22ND.
LOTS EXTRA LARGE, 54 FT. EACH BY 145 DEEP THROUGH TO 40-FT. ST.
FOR COTTAGE BUILDER.
THIS IS A SNAP, ASKING $1500 ON SIDE STREETS; ONLY 2 BLOCKS OF TWO CAR LINES.
BIG IMPROVEMENTS ON ALL SIDES.
BETTER SEE SOLE AGENTS,
FORRESTER & SONS,
441 DOUGLAS BLDG.
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FOR SALE—
Business Property.

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CLOSE-IN

BARGAINS.

$8000—ONLY—$8000.

One fine southwest corner of San Pedro and Tenth sts.; adjoining a 16-foot alley, with 2 cottages and barns renting at $25 per month. We cannot recommend this corner too highly for it is a sure winner for the future.

$8000—ONLY—$8000.

San Julian st., between 6th and 7th sts.; 50x165 with a good cottage.

$4250—ONLY—$4500.

2 lots renting at $40 per month; right near 25 ar. 1 block from San Pedro st.

$14,500—ONLY—$14,000.

In Third st.; very close in, with income of 9% per month, and a little money expended will double the present rent.

THIRD STREET.

Any property is at a premium you know, now.

All or any of the above properties will bear the closest investigation and are recommended by

BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN,
Members L. A. Realty Board. 29

WAREHOUSE PROPERTY.

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WE HAVE A LARGE LIST OF WAREHOUSE PROPERTIES IN ALL PARTS OF THE WAREHOUSE DISTRICT; A PROPERTY VALUES LOWEST IN THEIR RESPECTIVE LOCALITIES.

H. A. ROWAN & CO.,
230 H. W. HELLMAN.

MINES & FARISH,
215 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE BY
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (Ltd.)

TWO BARGAINS.

WE HAVE FOR SALE TWO OF THE CHOICEST AND CHEAPEST CORNERS ON MAIN STREET. THEY ARE BOTH GOOD AND THERE CAN BE NO QUESTION ABOUT THERE BEING A GOOD INCREASE OVER THE PRESENT PRICES WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

NORTHEAST CORNER OF SIXTEENTH AND MAIN, 50x150 FEET. SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE RENTING FOR $36.50 A MONTH. THIS IS THE ONLY CORNER FOR SALE AT 16TH ST.

NORTHWEST CORNER EIGHTEENTH AND MAIN, 120x230 FEET. IMPROVED BY BRICK LIVERY BARN WORTH THE MONEY. THIS IS THE ONLY CORNER FOR SALE AT 18TH ST.

THESE PROPERTIES ARE FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY PRICES AT WHICH THEY ARE NOW OFFERED ARE LOW.

ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (Ltd.)
SUITE 209-211 H. A. R. B. BLDG., 4TH AND SPRING. 26

Some of any choice corners on the west side of Main between First and Ninth sts. This is another snap. Try one of this pick-up from Los Angeles to Ninth sts. Less than front lots on Main at five figures at 6 per cent. Property worth $300 per ft.

EAST FOURTH ST.

Lot on south line of Fourth, between Main and Central to alley; considered by the wise investors the best three places on Fourth between Main and San Pedro. We offer two pieces at about $50 per ft. now; will be worth $100 per ft. Do not wait for $100 per ft. to be paid before you buy. Lot 60x146. Alley. Property within ten minutes of the center of the Huntington holdings. Worth today—without improvements $2000; would be good value. Will be taken at once. Only $2500 cash.

corner, between Grand ave. and Pico st. is paved. improved with a two-story rough cross-town street. brick. It's paying good interest now and enhancing in value. It's the best bargain on Pico st. today. Before you close out, close in.

$16,000

BUYS

PICO STREET SNAP.

FINE CORNER

ON

PICO STREET.

PICO STREET, ONE WEST OF MAIN STREET.

PAYING FINE RATE OF INTEREST. IT IS A SNAP.

$8000 HANDLES IT.

$8000.

MINES & FARISH,
SOLE AGENTS.
215 SOUTH HILL ST.

TON REALTY COMPANY.
324-326 WILCOX BLDG.
BUSINESS PROPERTIES.

on E. Sixth, with 5-room cottage

on right side of San Pedro

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BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN,
249 Douglas Bldg.

INCOME PROPERTY.

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EN PER CENT. NET.

IT TO APPEAL TO YOU.

VE HAVE ONE FOR

$21,000—

ANOTHER FOR

$130,000—

SEVEN PER CENT. NET.

USINESS PROPERTY.

UR OFFERINGS BEFORE

BUYING.

IS THAN $25 PER FT.

THIRD ST.—Not a little, but a great, big chance on this block. Watch on this piece from Main st. 5 minutes you are there. Be sure anything on Third st. close in. Lot 60x165. THIS IS THE ONLY CORNER FOR SALE AT 25TH. S.

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ALAMEDA STREET.
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ANOTHER WAREHOUSE SITE.
ANOTHER WAREHOUSE SITE.

CORNER OF FIFTH AND ALAMEDA WAS SOLD AS ADVERTISED LAST WEEK AND THE PRICE I AM OFFERING NOW IS NEAR THIS CORNER. DOUBLE FRONTAGE. 192 FEET ON ALAMEDA ST., RUNNING THROUGH THE BLOCK AND FRONTS 160 FEET ON SEATON ST. IT IS A RURE, MONEY-MAKER, AND IS OFFERED AT LESS THAN ITS VALUE, BECAUSE WE MUST HAVE ALL CASH. $16,000.

THOMAS H. HASTINGS,
SOLE AGENT.
136 BRALY BLDG.
24

FOR SALE—

We have often been foolish enough to guarantee a profit to a buyer, but we have never been "called" yet. Do you want a guarantee on that big piece we have on San Pedro st. near Sixth? $20,000 100x165

We give you fair warning the owner has given us the date on which we have no alternative but to advance the price to some where near the prices obtained for other frontage on this street less than one block north. Why, it is just like finding $300 per front foot to buy this piece at the present price.

WHITCOMB-GIBSON CO., 329 Laughlin Bldg. 23

FOR SALE—$350; LOT 50x150 TO ALLEY on west side of Main st., near the corner of Pico. The corner adjoining on Pico cannot be bought for less than $500 per foot. The vicinity of Main and Pico is already established as a business center, and with the rapid increase in values on S. Main st. this property will in the near future be worth and sell for $1000 per foot. Price for the present, $350 per foot, or $17,500 for the lot including improvements.

NOLAN & SMITH,
228 W. Second st.
Exclusive agents. 25

FOR SALE—
E. A. FORRESTER & SONS.
IT'S IN THE AIR
THAT THINGS ARE GOING TO JUMP
ON W. SEVENTH ST.
WE HAVE HEADQUARTERS SITE
FOR FAMILY HOTEL,
CLOSE TO FIGUEROA,
65 FRONT BY 250 DEEP,
WITH RIGHT OF WAY
THROUGH TO ORANGE.
THE PRICE IS RIGHT.
E. A. FORRESTER & SONS,
440 DOUGLAS BLDG.
22

FOR SALE—EAST OF MAIN.
$7000—E. Fourth, 2 blocks from Main; a very choice little property; 2-story house; renting for $35 a month.
$11,500—San Pedro, near Fifth; fine lot and improvements that cost $5000; pays about 9 per cent.; will soon double in value.
$13,000—Towne ave., W. 30th; income $100 per month.
$14,000—Crocker, near Fifth, income $85 per month.
22 G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First st.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTY ON PICO STREET.
PICO STREET IS MACADAMIZED. PICO STREET IS IN THE SWIM.
50 feet on Pico street, right opposite pressed brick stores, and in very best location for business. I can sell you 50 feet for $4500, with 5-room house now rented for $25 per month, this property is actually worth lots more money. See
D. A. VAN VRANKEN,
22 402 New Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—I HAVE SOME GOOD BUYS ON E. 1ST, 2ND, 3RD, 4TH, 5TH AND 6TH, AND ALSO ON LOS ANGELES ST. IF LOOKING FOR SOMETHING IN THIS LOCALITY WHERE THINGS ARE DOING, COME AND SEE ME.
L. E. BOWEN, 302 FROST BLDG.
22 MEMBER L. A. REALTY BOARD.

FOR SALE—CORNER ON 6TH, CLOSE IN, 62x100; price $16,500.
Lot on E. 4th, close in, 24x104, $12,500.
Corner lot, close in, between 3rd and 4th sts., $14,400; 3 of the best buys in the city.
See W. A. ROBERTS REALTY CO., 634 Johnson Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—"HILL STREET SNAP."
HILL STREET. HILL STREET.
$6,250—Lot 50x139 on the west side Hill, only 120 feet from Pico st., on west side of Hill st., and near Pico.
HILL STREET. HILL STREET.
SOLE AGENT.
LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO.,
No. 345 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
$3600—HILL ST. NEAR COURT.
60x165.
A CLOSE-IN BARGAIN.
NEAR NEW ANGEL'S FLIGHT
ON COURT AND
NEW 7-STORY HILL-ST. HOTEL.
FORRESTER & SONS, SOLE AGENTS.
22 441 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE— $4000
A fine corner property in the industrial district; an excellent location for cottages, rooming-house or small stores; 50x165 feet; when improved will pay 12 per cent. net on investment.
CALDWELL, MERWIN & LOWE,
230 Bradbury Blk. Home 'phone 2169 22

FOR SALE—
BUSINESS PROPERTY CORNER.
60 feet on Figueroa street below 7th, right in the swim, now rented for $45 per month net, only partially improved, will be sold this week for $15,000, worth $20,000 now. See
D. A. VAN VRANKEN,
22 402 New Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A BARGAIN IN A house and lot on Ceres avenue, near 9th st., $3000 will buy it.
Also 6-room house and lot on Ceres ave., near 7th st., for $2500.
E. L. WILDY,
Dealer in Snaps,
22 206 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—$10,500—42x125, NINTH, NEAR Maple; partly improved; this is choice business property, near Main and advancing rapidly; best buy on 9th. April 1st price will be $12,000, get it now and make the advance. J. J. PHELPS, Sole Agent, 216 Mason Operahouse. 22

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN IN A 42x125-FOOT lot to alley, with 7-room modern house; rents for $30 per month; for only $4000. This is a snap.
C. L. DIKE INVESTMENT CO. (Inc.,)
223 Mason Bldg., 4th and Bdway. Black 1402.

FOR SALE — 1504 S. MAIN ST., 2-STORY 8-room house and barn, lot 32x150 to good alley; rented under old lease, 3 years; rents $22.50; house sets back and store could be built in front to more than double income; price $3000. LEO J. MAGUIRE, 310 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—$15,000—NEW, MODERN APARTment building on West 8th street, fully occupied, bringing good income; lot is large and can be further improved; well located, close in; a fine investment. See
J. J. PHELPS, 216 Mason Operahouse. 22

FOR SALE—HAVE A BUSINESS CORNER in an established business section that we can sell for $2500, lot 45x120 feet; this is a good buy; we are exclusive agents.
HERRON-BAXTER REALTY CO.,
300-301 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE — BUSINESS PROPERTY; $1500 cash will handle a $15,000 income flat property, (between Orange and Sixth st., one block from Figueroa st.) where ground values are steadily increasing. Address M. B. HILL, 704 College st., city. 22

FOR SALE — $12,000; LARGE ROOMING-house, M1400; 2-story; rents for $100 month; $2000 less than actual value; owner's loss your gain; $2000 will handle; close in. MARTIN REALTY CO., 411 Grant Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—75x142 ON E. FIRST ST., between Main and Los Angeles, for $55.50 per foot; corner on San Pedro st. central at a bargain. TRACY & COMPTON, 219 Copp Bldg., 216 S. Broadway. 22

FOR SALE — CENTRAL AVE., NORTH OF Adams; large corner, $100 a front foot; commission to agents; might shade some if sold soon. Address H. E. SIMPKINS, Heyer House. 29

FOR SALE—
$12,500—Flats and store, Main st.
$10,500—Large lot, 2 cottages, San Pedro st.
$8500—Flats and stores, Central ave.
22 MAY REALTY CO., 116 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$7000; THAT GRAND 70x125 S. W. corner, Estrella and 21st., elegant residence district, suitable for home, separate apartment house, flats, worth $50,000 in 4 years. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—THIS WEEK, $7000. BUSINESS corner, 125x160, N.W. corner, the best buy in the city for investment. NEW YORK & OHIO REALTY CO., 117 S. Broadway. Phone Home 1871. 22

FOR SALE—$2600; 50x150 ONLY TWO BLOCKS from Arcade Depot, new, modern, six-room cottage. Actually worth $3100. H. O. ASHER, 217-218 Mason Operahouse.

FOR SALE — AT A SACRIFICE; 2 FLATS renting for $30 per month; walking distance; price $2800; $2000 down; balance 7 per cent. Address Y, box 36, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$12,000; 52x165, WEST SIDE Flower near 10th, with 2 houses; income $95 per mo. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—SNAP, $3500; 3 HOUSES AND lot, income $44 month. Come quick; won't last long; sell to-day. LEE, 117 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

Talk is cheap, but it takes money to buy land on E. Fourth street, and it will take more than $12,500 to buy that piece of ours on Fourth st. near San Pedro, after a few days. You might as well make $50 per front foot on it as anybody. We are giving you fair warning. Don't come around here next month and be telling what you could have done on Washington's birthday. That day comes, like Christmas, but once a year. Its gift to you this year is this piece for $12,500 a bargain, with $50 a front foot in it for you in the next year.
WHITCOMB-GIBSON CO., Laughlin Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—SPECIAL BARGAIN.
E. NINTH ST. E. NINTH ST.
West of Central ave.
Choice lot,
—37x160—
With 5-room cottage.
ONLY—$12,500—ONLY
Now is the time to buy E. Ninth st. property.
A word to the wise is sufficient.
$25,000 to loan on real estate and other good security, 5 to 7 per cent.
E. P. M'CONNELL,
250 Wilcox Bldg.,
Sole Agent.
Home 'Phone 2229. 22

FOR SALE—
HILL ST. HILL ST.
GIGANTIC STEAL.
$12,000 buys 50x155 ft. to alley, Hill st., between 10th and 11th sts., this week only, very cheap at $20,000. C. B. SIMONS, 228 Stimson Bldg.

FOR SALE—
A FLOWER-STREET SNAP.
60x165 feet right near 7th.
Rents for about $35 per month.
It's the buy of the street.
At $15,000.
C. C. C. TATUM & CO.,
22 626-627 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

CONTRACTORS—
And Builders.

AUGUST LINN, BUILDER OF FIRE places and brick mantels, mosaic and tile floors laid by the foot; general repairing of same. Residence 852 E. JEFFERSON st., phone Sunset South 197; 20 years' experience.
WE WILL FURNISH PLANS AND BUILD your house for cash or monthly payments; lowest rates. BEN JONES, contractors and builders, 211 W. 1st. Phone 5053. 22

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—40 WELL-FURNISHED ROOMS always full, clearing $250 per month; long lease; price $4500, or will trade for real estate.
Boarding-house of 18 rooms in the Westlake district, cheap rent and fine lease; hardwood floors, new furniture. This place cannot be duplicated in Los Angeles; must be sold at once and will go at a sacrifice; here is a chance to clear over $150 a month for a small investment.
Elegantly furnished 35-room hotel and restaurant, close in, clears $400 a month. This will stand the closest inspection.
65-room well furnished hotel, near postoffice, with well-established business. Easy terms.
21 rooms, with permanent roomers, clears $60 per month, only $1250.
We have houses in all the best localities at bargain prices.
THOMAS BROS. & METCHALF,
238 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—MY BUSINESS CALLS ME East and my splendidly furnished lodging-house of 30 rooms MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE; beautiful, large reception hall, Brussels carpets, 2 bathrooms, 3 toilets, electric lights, gas, telephone; place elegantly furnished throughout with bird's-eye maple, curly birch, mahogany and golden oak; piano valued at $500; new brick building; five-year lease, rent $100. Income over $200. Hot water heat paid and included in the price, $2250; rooms always full. If you are looking for something exceptionally elegant in every way, and a bargain, see my agents, D. H. LINGLE & CO., 432½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE LEADING FAMILY hotels in San Francisco. Has the most select patronage. Modern in every detail. Magnificent furnishings. Contains 125 rooms. Capital required, $60,000 to $70,000. Splendid opportunity. Lease has 9 years to run. Write or apply to SONNTAG BROS., Real Estate Agents, 222 Montgomery st., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR the best-paying "transient" lodging-house in the city? I offer my house north of 1st st.; very central, low rent, long lease, well furnished, for the low price of $1650. It brings me an income of nearly $14,000 per annum; will almost pay for itself in six months. MUST be sold at once. See my agents, D. H. LINGLE & CO., 432½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—I ADVERTISE MY BEAUTIful rooming-house of twelve rooms because adverse circumstances force me to make a quick sale; fine Brussels carpets, splendid furniture, new building, rent $100 per month, rent, long lease; every room rented; price only $2600. See my agents, D. H. LINGLE & CO., 432½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR a first-class money-maker and investment in an apartment hotel, something that is really first-class and the same time very reasonable in price and terms, with low rent and long lease, have got what you want. Address P P, box 81, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE AND LEASE of 35-room rooming-house, located on one of the business streets; fine paying house; will exchange for smaller rooming-house. Call difference. MRS. C. S. HEALD, office, 204 Mason Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. 22

FOR SALE—
WITH $650 CASH,
the remainder assumed, you can purchase this elegantly furnished 20-room rooming-house and lease, at a great sacrifice, if secured before Friday evening of owner. This will bear investigation. 600½ EAST FIRST. Home 7089.

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN, 38-ROOM HOtel, elegantly furnished, all sunny rooms, heated throughout; every room rented; $4000; lease; terms; rent $180 per month; will take part real estate. E. S. MAHONEY, 224 Westlake ave., Home 2847. 22

FOR SALE—
$11000—READ IT—$11000.
26 rooms, strictly modern; must be sold; rent $104; everything in first-class shape; it's a snap; who wants it? THE NATIONAL, 117 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE, 370 S. Hill; best place in Los Angeles to make a big profit quick; circumstances compel immediate sale; make your own price and terms; 22 rooms, always rented. Come early and make your offer. 21

FOR SALE—10-ROOM HOUSE, TRANSIENT and permanent; best location downtown; lease; reasonable rent; house clearing about $150; have two houses; must sell; a snap for someone. 209½ W. FOURTH ST. 22

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 19 ROOMS and barn, new 2 weeks ago; newly papered; all occupied; clears $45 month; good lease; must sell by March 1; will sell on time. 1054 S. BROADWAY. Home 'Phone 4221. 24

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN MEN'S rooming-house that will clear $10 day. Owner leaving city and wants some one to manage the place. Call on HUBBARD, 321½ South Spring st.

FOR SALE—SEE THIS 11-ROOM HOUSE; nicely furnished, well paying; would make fine boarding-house; near postoffice; bargain this week. Address Y, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, NEAR POSTOFfice, 20 rooms, nicely furnished, all outside sunny, with lease, good income, moderate rent, make an offer. 602½ S. FIGUEROA. 22

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, 44 ROOMS, full year round, clearing $200 month; good lease; entrance two streets; sacrifice account sickness, $2500. OWNER, 732 S. Spring. 22

FOR SALE—ELEGANT FURNITURE OF 11-room private residence, bringing in income $150 rent; price $1200. Address C, box 111, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—40 ROOMS, WELL FURNISHED, close in, only $3000; good terms, clearing $130 per month. MAXON REALTY CO., 114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE FURNITURE OF 6-room flat, everything first-class, all sunny rooms, must be sold; 603 W. NINTH ST. Rooms all rented. 27

FOR SALE—65 S. OLIVE ST., FURNITURE of this eight-room rooming-house; must sell as house is to be moved; will except any reasonable offer.

FOR SALE — $700; FOR FIRST-CLASS rooming-house of 16 rooms; newly furnished; a money maker. HIVELY & JONES, 702 S. Spring. 24

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 16-ROOM house, modern, near building, low rent, lease, price reasonable. 420 S. GRAND AVE. 22

FOR SALE — SMALL ROOMING-HOUSE; rooms rented cheap. If taken at once. Call 120 E. WASHINGTON.

FOR SALE—$250 FURNITURE 9 ROOMS; great sacrifice. RED 6621. 21

FOR SALE — 26-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE; all filled. 621 CROCKER ST. 22

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE — 47-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE and dining-room, nicely furnished, all complete, rent $180 with 3-year lease; rooming-house alone clears $200 a month, dining-room has 10 4-chair tables, linen, dishes, cash register and large range, you can buy this whole place for $1500. See HUBBARD, 321½ S. Spring. 22

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—

ACREAGE. ACREAGE.
ACREAGE. RANCHO DEL MAR. ACREAGE.

Right at the gateway of Ocean Park, on Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad, thirty minutes from Los Angeles, where $1,000,000 is being spent in improvements. Do you know there is no investment so safe and as sure to increase in value as good acreage, near a popular beach town? Why buy a lot for $700 when you can buy an acre that will make six lots for less money? RANCHO DEL MAR Tract is all set to walnuts. We furnish you water free for all you want. 1 share of water stock with each acre of land. We have 25-H.P. engine, 12-inch well, pumping 75 inches of water. Others tell you they furnish abundance of water, but you have to pay for it. Remember when you make your purchase, that water is not only king, but it comes high when you have to buy it. Terms, ¼ cash, balance monthly or quarterly, just as you like; 6 per cent. interest. Our representative is on the tract. Take L. A. Pacific via Palms, Fourth car to Hill, or call on the undersigned, who will be pleased to answer any questions concerning tract.

CHAS. M'KENZIE & CO., Agents, 409 Hellman Bldg., N.E. cor. Fourth and Spring.

W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
214 Wilcox Bldg.

MRS. GEORGE SIBLEY,
Ocean Park.

FOR SALE—
I have several very fine walnut groves near the city at bargain prices, also—
5-acre ranch near electric line, $2500.
10-acre ranch, good improvements, $3500.
15-acre, walnuts, good improvements, $6000.
20-acre, walnuts, full bearing, $12,000.
40-acre, walnuts, some improvements, $22,000.
61-acre, alfalfa land, fine pumping plant, $18,000.
2200-acre, near electric line, $100 per acre. All of the above have an abundance of water and are good buys. If you want a good ranch or acreage at the right price, I have it.
Home 3811. W. L. TRUITT,
Main 5877. 525 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—
TALK WITH M'CRORY.
TEN ACRES ALFALFA.
This has a fine stand from fence to fence and is about 6 miles from city on Short Line electric. Owner says sell or exchange this at once.

ONLY $250.

With HOME REAL ESTATE CO.,
22 229-234 Douglas Bldg.

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FARM HOMES AT FIRST COST.
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FOR SALE—160 ACRES, $10 PER ACRE, grain land; 100 acres, $12, in grain and hours, barn; all level. 101½ S. BROADWAY. Chas. F. Roark.

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2200-acre, near electric line, $100 per acre. All of the above have an abundance of water and are good buys. If you want a good ranch or acreage at the right price, I have it.
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This has a fine stand from fence to fence and is about 6 miles from city on Short Line electric. Owner says sell or exchange this at once.

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Cigar business $500, invoice stock; 5-year lease, rent $45, fine location, owner has other business; see this bargain.

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Drug store in the southwest, clean stock; price $2500.
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Country grocery, including station agency, P.O., at invoice, about $2500.
Hardware store in the city; must sell quick, $2500.
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Country hotel, including real estate and livery, 9 horses, 10 miles out; large transient trade, $6000.
If you want a business see
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WANTED—TO PURCHASE GOOD RESTAURANT on Main or Spring st.; one or two acres of land, suitable for vegetables, within city limits.
For sale—24-room rooming-house, $1250; cigar stand, $175; four pool tables, $100; soda fountain, $300. Apply
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WANTED — PARTNER IN MY BUSINESS of real estate; 7 years established; finely equipped office; fine desk, typewriter, carpet, heavy oak chairs; fine light room; large list of property; want a man that has had some experience and can give his undivided attention; we can clear $400 per month. Address Y, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 22

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MODERN LUNCH ROOM FOR SALE.

Best of fixtures, close in location; doing large profitable business; price $2500. Sole Agents.
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WANTED—A YOUNG MAN AS PARTNER with some capital and business ability, to take an active interest in the manufacturing of a musical novelty; a great success and no competition. For particulars call or address PROF. C. S. KNIGHT, 1306 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal. 22

FOR SALE—FURNITURE IN HOTEL CONtaining 17 rooms, restaurant, barber shop, billiard hall and saloon, all doing a good business in a live wide-awake town; reason for selling is owner desires to go to the Philippines. Address R, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 22

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GROCERY BUYERS ATTENTION, MUST sacrifice immediately for best cash offer, elegant grocery stock, invoices $7500; established trade, clearing $75 monthly; investigate this opportunity. 3419 SAN PEDRO ST. 22

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FOR SALE—CIGAR AND CONFECTIONERY store, includes portable building stock and lease, near school; bargain if taken this week. Owner, 217½ N. BROADWAY. 22

FOR SALE — GOOD CIGAR STAND, HOtel connection; can't be beat; takes in $15 day; great snap; price $400. F. A. BURKHART & CO., 308½ S. Broadway, room 12. 22

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CIGAR STAND $250, SPLENDID LOCATION, fine stock, fixtures, cash register, cheap rent, long lease, clearing $2.50. See GREENE, room 1, 355 S. Hill st. 22

FOR SALE — STRICTLY CASH GROCERY business; taking about $50 per day; close up; low rent; living-rooms. Apply REAL ESTATE OFFICE, 122 S. Bunker Hill. 22

SMALL FRUIT AND CIGAR STORE ON Central ave., rent $8, price $175; also 27 rooms with lease, fine location. E. T. WADE & CO., 312 Grant Bldg. 22

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FOR SALE—RESTAURANT AND CONFECtionery in college town, about 3000 inhabitants, good proposition. Address box 663, LORDSBURG, CAL. 7

WANTED—PARTNER FOR RESTAURANT, lady either for kitchen or dining-room, have chance to get big snap, $250. Call immediately, 529 S. MAIN. 22

BUSINESS CHANCES—
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FOR SALE—AT OCEAN PARK, HALF INterest in grocery and fruit store; buyer must be a young man of good appearance and understand how to handle a soda fountain; will guarantee $75 per month; price $850. F. P. CHAFFEE, 119 S. Broadway. 22

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WOULD GO TO BULL FROG, IVANPAH, with experienced prospector, and small party, wagon trip, could start immediately; references exchanged. Address X, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 22

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$225 CASH BUYS MAIL ORDER OFFICE business, will clear $25 weekly, profits 200 per cent; rent $7.50, invoice $250; experience unnecessary. Owner 320 N. BROADWAY, room 205.

WANTED—A PARTY WITH SOME CAPital, wants to invest with services in a good business proposition, must stand strict investigation. Address X, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 23

WANTED—PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED business, salary $100 per month, business at Long Beach, good interest on money, must have $3000. LEE R. MYERS, 221 Johnson Bldg. 22

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FOR SALE—ONE OF THE LARGEST, BEST located and handsomely equipped barber shops; employing 14 hands; for particulars see KEINER, 301 Frost Bldg., Second and Broadway. 22

WANTED — PARTY WITH SOME CAPITAL to sell carriages and wagons at retail in Los Angeles for jobbing house; stock furnished on consignment. Address X, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 24

MAN FOR STATE CALIFORNIA, HANDLE light manufacturing business, can earn $300 month, ability tells, small capital required. Call 214 ORTSMOUTH HOTEL, S. Hill st.

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FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS CAFE. GOOD location, near 2nd and Broadway, at a bargain. Call and see it. 224 W. 2ND ST. 22

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WANTED, PARTNER WITH $600; $125 month salary. COAST EXCHANGE, 534 Byrne Bldg. 22

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Bishop Bids Godspeed to His Philadelphia Friend.

Owen Kelly, Philadelphia banker and merchant, globe trotter, fugitive from his own conscience, alleged defaulter and man of mystery, emerged from the place of hiding yesterday, actually ended of his strange wanderings, and late last night at 6:15 o'clock, accompanied by his bosom friend and business associate Dan Wade on the Santa Fe limited for Chicago.

After a short rest in the Windy City, they will resume his journey to his home, there to take up the tangled threads of his business, left last October, when he fled around the world, leaving his friends to think him dead, because he thought he had defrauded the Missionaries and intimates.

SECRETED BY WADE.

When Kelly was taken from the City Hall Sunday night by his old friend Dan Wade, who had traveled from the Windy City to stand by his boyhood friend in trouble, he was spirited away to the Brunswick Hotel, No. 602 South Hill street, where his peace and quiet were carefully guarded by Wade and other friends.

The Philadelphian's whereabouts were concealed from the police and reporters, and no one was allowed to enter his room save a few intimate friends, including Bishop Conaty.

Constantly laboring under the hallucination that he had ruined some of his friends and that he was being tracked by detectives, Kelly's mind was on the verge of tottering, and only under care and encouraging words by his friends prevented the man from collapsing completely.

Yesterday morning Kelly's spirits seemed greatly revived, however, and shortly after he had arisen, he called over to the office of Bishop Conaty where he had a long chat with the prelate. Later he returned to his hotel and talked with friends.

"Oh, I am so glad I am going back tonight," said Kelly, cheerfully.

A distant lament, however, his face changed and he wailed plaintively, "Oh, oh, I fear I have injured someone, why are these detectives hounding me so?" and a haunted expression came over the man's palloriess features.

"That's all right, Owen, old boy," said Wade, you've done nothing wrong," encouragingly, and the other brightened quickly as he thought through his tears up into the face of his big friend.

During the afternoon Bishop Conaty called at the hotel and helped prepare for his long journey across the continent. The bishop was deeply affected as he said, "I am glad to know that you have done nothing wrong, Owen." "Oh, I know you are satisfied I have not, Bishop," responded Kelly, gratefully.

Kelly's friends would not allow him to discuss his case when he attempted to discuss his strange flight and subsequent wanderings around the globe. "Perhaps when he gets back home and has rested," they said, "and he will tell us all about it."

It was late last night Kelly's departure on the occasion of a small party. Accompanied by Bishop Conaty, Dan Wade, James Burk, an old New York friend, Messrs. McGarry, Ryan and half a dozen Los Angeles friends, the Philadelphian took a car for the station. He was quite cheerful and bright and none of the questions would allow him to rest for one instant to his troubles. Then the train pulled out three cheers were given and Kelly waved his hand in response.

Thus the strange wanderer arrives in Philadelphia Wade will take him home to his own home at No. 1514 Cumberland avenue, where he will remain until he has fully recovered from the effects of his wild flight. Wade insists that his friend has done no wrong whatever, and he says he has plenty of money in bank in Los Angeles City, with which to pay all of his obligations.

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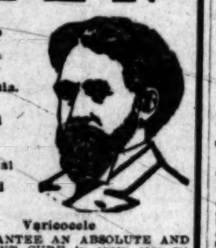

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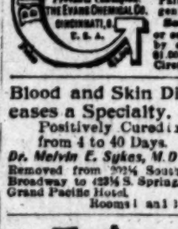

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Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals.

Pursuant to Ordinance No. 9[illegible] (New Series) of the Council of the City of Los Angeles, adopted February 15, 1905, notice is hereby given that the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 11 o'clock a.m. of Monday, February 27, 1905, sealed proposals or bids, for the following street work, to be done and performed in accordance therewith:

No. 16 (New Series) for Graveled Streets.

No. 1 (New Series) for Cement Curbs.

No. 2 (New Series) for Cement Sidewalks.

No. 1 (New Series) for Cobble-paved Gutters.

In the City of Los Angeles, and on the following assigned, or streets mentioned to wit:

1st. That

AVENUE SIXTY-ONE

in said city from the north line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue, including all intersections of streets (excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also excepting such portions as have already been graded and graveled and accepted,) be graded and graveled, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications for the construction of graveled streets in the City of Los Angeles, on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 16 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 9371 (New Series.)

2nd. That a cement curb be constructed along each line of the roadway of Avenue Sixty-one from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite curb has already been constructed to the official line and grade,) in accordance with specifications for constructing cement curbs, on file in the office of the City Clerk, said specifications being No. 1 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8377 (New Series.)

3rd. That a cement sidewalk five (5) feet in width be constructed along each side of said Avenue Sixty-one, from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue (excepting such portions of said street between said points along which a cement or asphalt sidewalk five (5) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade,) said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with specifications for constructing cement sidewalks on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 2 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8378 (New Series.)

4th. That a cobble-paved gutter be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Avenue Sixty-one from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue and across Piedmont avenue, Mesa avenue and the north side of Monte Vista street (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite block gutter has already been constructed to the official line and grade, and also excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon.

Said gutters shall be three and one-half (3½) feet in width (excepting at intersections of streets, where said gutters shall be seven (7) feet in width; and said gutters shall be constructed in accordance with the plans and profile thereof on file in the office of the City Engineer, and in accordance with specifications for the construction of cobble-paved gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk, said specifications being No. 7 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8377 (New Series.)

The Council of said city finds upon estimate of the City Engineer, that the total cost of said improvement will be greater than fifty cents per front foot along each line of said street, including the cost of intersections, and it is determined, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved February 27th, 1893, as amended by an act of the Legislature amending said last named act, which amending act became a law March 23d, 1903, that bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said improvement. Said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of ten years, an even proportion of the principal sum of which shall be payable annually on the second day of January of each year by coupon, after their date until the whole are paid, and to bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the second days of January and July of each and every year.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the Mayor of this city, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal, or a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

In bidding use blanks which will be furnished by the City Clerk upon application.

Los Angeles, Cal., February 20, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the Council of the City of Los Angeles. 2-20-21 21

ORDINANCE NO. 10,567.

(New Series.)

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to change and establish the grade of Elgin street, from Avenue Sixty-four to Avenue Sixty-five.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to change and establish the grade of

ELGIN STREET

from Avenue Sixty-four to Avenue Sixty-five, as follows:

At the intersection with Avenue Sixty-four the grade shall be 699.50 at the northeast corner and 668.50 at the southeast corner, as now established.

At the intersection with Avenue Sixty-five the grade shall be 613.00 at the northwest corner and 614.00 at the southwest corner, as now established.

And at all points between said designated points the grade shall be established so as to conform to a straight line drawn between said designated points.

Elevations are in feet and above a plane which is 225 feet below City datum plane.

Sec. 2. That the exterior boundaries of the district which is hereby declared to be benefited by said change of grade and to be assessed to pay the benefits, damages and costs thereof, are hereby described as follows:

Beginning at the most southerly corner of lot 1, block 19 of Garvanza Addition No. 1, as recorded in Book 9, at page 46, Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence westerly in a direct line and parallel with the southerly line of Elgin street to the easterly line of Avenue Sixty-four; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of Avenue Sixty-four to a point 120 feet north of the north line of Elgin street, said point being the most northerly corner of lot 4, block 22, said Garvanza Addition No. 1; thence easterly and parallel with the northerly line of Elgin street to the westerly line of Avenue Sixty-five; thence southerly along the westerly line of Avenue Fifty-five to the point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom any portion of any public street or alley which may be included within the above-described district.

Sec. 3. The City Superintendent of Streets shall cause notice of the passage of this Ordinance to be posted in the manner and within the time provided by law.

Sec. 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of February 13, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk.

Approved this 15th day of February, 1905.

OWEN McALEER,

Mayor.

2-17-26 10t

Notice of Public Work.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 27th day of January, A.D. 1905, the Council of the City of Los Angeles did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention, Numbered 10469 (New Series,) to have the following work done, to wit:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles to close up, vacate and abandon, for street purposes, all that portion of

GRANADA STREET

between the easterly line of Avenue Fifty-two and the westerly line of Avenue Fifty-four, as shown upon map of Hampton Terrace, recorded in Book 5 of Maps, at page 114, Records of Los Angeles county;

Also all that portion of

HIGHLAND AVENUE

from Granada street to its northerly terminus, as shown upon said map;

Also all that portion of

ABBOTT PLACE

between the easterly line of Avenue Fifty-three and the westerly line of Avenue Fifty-four, as shown upon said map;

Also all that portion of

AVENUE FIFTY-THREE

from the southerly line of said Hampton Terrace to the northerly line of said Hampton Terrace, as shown upon said map;

Also, the

ALLEY

lying easterly from and parallel with Avenue Fifty-two and extending from the southerly line of Granada street to the southerly line of said Hampton Terrace, as shown upon said map.

Sec. 2. That the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be affected by said work or improvement are hereby specified and declared to be as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the most southerly corner of lot 88 of Hampton Terrace, as hereinbefore mentioned; thence northwesterly in a direct line to the most westerly corner of lot 84, said Hampton Terrace; thence northeasterly along the northerly line of said lot 84 to the most easterly corner of said lot 84; thence easterly in a direct line to the northeasterly corner of lot 8, said Hampton Terrace; thence southerly in a direct line to the intersection of the easterly line of lot 100, said Hampton Terrace, with the southerly line of said lot 100; thence southwesterly in a direct line to the point of beginning; excepting therefrom so much of said land which is now a part of any public street or alley.

Reference is hereby made to said Ordinance of Intention for further particulars.

JAMES HANLEY,

Street Superintendent.

By C. R. McKEON, Deputy. 2-17-21 10t

Notice of Public Work.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 16th day of January, A.D. 1905, the Council of the City of Los Angeles did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention, Numbered 10,468 (New Series) to have the following work done, to wit:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles to close up, vacate and abandon, for street purposes, all that portion of

AVENUE SIXTY-ONE

in said city from the north line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue, including all intersections of streets (excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also excepting such portions as have already been graded and graveled and accepted,) be graded and graveled, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications for the construction of graveled streets in the City of Los Angeles, on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 16 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 9371 (New Series.)

2nd. That a cement curb be constructed along each line of the roadway of Avenue Sixty-one from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite curb has already been constructed to the official line and grade,) in accordance with specifications for constructing cement curbs, on file in the office of the City Clerk, said specifications being No. 1 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8377 (New Series.)

3rd. That a cement sidewalk five (5) feet in width be constructed along each side of said Avenue Sixty-one, from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue (excepting such portions of said street between said points along which a cement or asphalt sidewalk five (5) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade,) said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with specifications for constructing cement sidewalks on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 2 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8378 (New Series.)

4th. That a cobble-paved gutter be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Avenue Sixty-one from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue and across Piedmont avenue, Mesa avenue and the north side of Monte Vista street (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite block gutter has already been constructed to the official line and grade, and also excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon.

Said gutters shall be three and one-half (3½) feet in width (excepting at intersections of streets, where said gutters shall be seven (7) feet in width; and said gutters shall be constructed in accordance with the plans and profile thereof on file in the office of the City Engineer, and in accordance with specifications for the construction of cobble-paved gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk, said specifications being No. 7 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8377 (New Series.)

The Council of said city finds upon estimate of the City Engineer, that the total cost of said improvement will be greater than fifty cents per front foot along each line of said street, including the cost of intersections, and it is determined, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved February 27th, 1893, as amended by an act of the Legislature amending said last named act, which amending act became a law March 23d, 1903, that bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said improvement. Said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of ten years, an even proportion of the principal sum of which shall be payable annually on the second day of January of each year by coupon, after their date until the whole are paid, and to bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the second days of January and July of each and every year.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the Mayor of this city, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal, or a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

In bidding use blanks which will be furnished by the City Clerk upon application.

Los Angeles, Cal., February 20, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the Council of the City of Los Angeles. 2-20-21 21

ORDINANCE NO. 10,567.

(New Series.)

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to change and establish the grade of Elgin street, from Avenue Sixty-four to Avenue Sixty-five.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to change and establish the grade of

ELGIN STREET

from Avenue Sixty-four to Avenue Sixty-five, as follows:

At the intersection with Avenue Sixty-four the grade shall be 699.50 at the northeast corner and 668.50 at the southeast corner, as now established.

At the intersection with Avenue Sixty-five the grade shall be 613.00 at the northwest corner and 614.00 at the southwest corner, as now established.

And at all points between said designated points the grade shall be established so as to conform to a straight line drawn between said designated points.

Elevations are in feet and above a plane which is 225 feet below City datum plane.

Sec. 2. That the exterior boundaries of the district which is hereby declared to be benefited by said change of grade and to be assessed to pay the benefits, damages and costs thereof, are hereby described as follows:

Beginning at the most southerly corner of lot 1, block 19 of Garvanza Addition No. 1, as recorded in Book 9, at page 46, Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence westerly in a direct line and parallel with the southerly line of Elgin street to the easterly line of Avenue Sixty-four; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of Avenue Sixty-four to a point 120 feet north of the north line of Elgin street, said point being the most northerly corner of lot 4, block 22, said Garvanza Addition No. 1; thence easterly and parallel with the northerly line of Elgin street to the westerly line of Avenue Sixty-five; thence southerly along the westerly line of Avenue Fifty-five to the point of beginning.

Excepting therefrom any portion of any public street or alley which may be included within the above-described district.

Sec. 3. The City Superintendent of Streets shall cause notice of the passage of this Ordinance to be posted in the manner and within the time provided by law.

Sec. 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of February 13, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk.

Approved this 15th day of February, 1905.

OWEN McALEER,

Mayor.

2-17-26 10t

Notice of Public Work.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 16th day of January, A.D. 1905, the Council of the City of Los Angeles did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention, Numbered 10,468 (New Series) to have the following work done, to wit:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles to close up, vacate and abandon, for street purposes, all that portion of

AVENUE SIXTY-ONE

in said city from the north line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue, including all intersections of streets (excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also excepting such portions as have already been graded and graveled and accepted,) be graded and graveled, in accordance with the plans and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and specifications for the construction of graveled streets in the City of Los Angeles, on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 16 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 9371 (New Series.)

2nd. That a cement curb be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Avenue Sixty-one from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite curb has already been constructed to the official line and grade,) in accordance with specifications for constructing cement curbs, on file in the office of the City Clerk, said specifications being No. 1 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8377 (New Series.)

3rd. That a cement sidewalk five (5) feet in width be constructed along each side of said Avenue Sixty-one, from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue (excepting such portions of said street between said points along which a cement or asphalt sidewalk five (5) feet in width has been constructed to the official line and grade,) said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with specifications for constructing cement sidewalks on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being No. 2 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8378 (New Series.)

4th. That a cobble-paved gutter be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Avenue Sixty-one from the north curb line of Pasadena avenue to the north line of Mesa avenue and across Piedmont avenue, Mesa avenue and the north side of Monte Vista street (excepting along such portions of the line of said roadway upon which a cement or granite block gutter has already been constructed to the official line and grade, and also excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon.

Said gutters shall be three and one-half (3½) feet in width (excepting at intersections of streets, where said gutters shall be seven (7) feet in width; and said gutters shall be constructed in accordance with the plans and profile thereof on file in the office of the City Engineer, and in accordance with specifications for the construction of cobble-paved gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk, said specifications being No. 7 (New Series) and adopted by Ordinance No. 8377 (New Series.)

The Council of said city finds upon estimate of the City Engineer, that the total cost of said improvement will be greater than fifty cents per front foot along each line of said street, including the cost of intersections, and it is determined, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved February 27th, 1893, as amended by an act of the Legislature amending said last named act, which amending act became a law March 23d, 1903, that bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said improvement. Said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of ten years, an even proportion of the principal sum of which shall be payable annually on the second day of January of each year by coupon, after their date until the whole are paid, and to bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the second days of January and July of each and every year.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the Mayor of this city, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal, or a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

In bidding use blanks which will be furnished by the City Clerk upon application.

Los Angeles, Cal., February 20, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the Council of the City of Los Angeles. 2-20-21 21

Public Advertising.

Notice of Public Work.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 16th day of January, A.D. 1905, the Council of the City of Los Angeles did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention, Numbered 10,470 (New Series,) to have the following work done, to wit:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles to close up, vacate and abandon, for street purposes, certain portions of

DOLORES DRIVE, MARCIA DRIVE AND MALTMAN AVENUE,

respectively, public streets of the City of Los Angeles, in the All View Acres, described as follows, to wit:

All that portion of Dolores Drive, between Lucile avenue and the northerly line of lot 4, Block 33, Hancock's Survey, as shown upon map of the All View Acres, as per map recorded in Book 7 of Maps, at page 181, Records of Los Angeles County;

Also: All that portion of Marcia Drive from Dolores Drive to Imogen avenue, as shown upon said map of the All View Acres;

Also: All that portion of Maltman avenue from Marcia Drive to the easterly line of Child's Heights, as shown upon said map of the All View Acres.

Sec. 2. That the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be affected by said work or improvement are hereby specified and declared to be as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the most northerly corner of Lot 139, said All View Acres, as hereinbefore mentioned; thence southwesterly in a direct line to the most westerly corner of said Lot 139; thence south 62 deg., 14 min., 30 sec. east 249.45 feet to a point; thence south 27 deg. 32 min., west 1005.9 feet to a point; thence southeasterly in a direct line to the most southerly corner of Lot 115, said All View Acres; thence northeasterly in a direct line to the most easterly corner of Lot 104, said All View Acres; thence northwesterly in a direct line to the most northerly corner of said Lot 104; thence northeasterly in a direct line to the most easterly corner of Lot 116, said All View Acres; thence northwesterly in a direct line to the intersection of the northerly line of Marcia Drive with the easterly line of Imogen avenue; thence southwesterly in a direct line to the most easterly corner of Lot 119, said All View Acres; thence northwesterly in a direct line to the most northerly corner of said Lot 119; thence westerly in a direct line to the point of beginning; excepting therefrom any land therein contained which is now a part of any public street or alley.

Reference is hereby made to said Ordinance of Intention for further particulars.

JAMES HANLEY,

Street Superintendent.

By C. ROY McKEON, Deputy. 2-13-22 10t

ORDINANCE NO. 10,579.

(New Series)

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of Hoover street from Seventh to Eighth street.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of

HOOVER STREET

from Seventh street to Eighth street, as follows:

At the intersection with Seventh street the grade shall be 282.50 at the southwest corner and 283.50 at the southeast corner, as now established on Seventh street.

At the intersection with Leeward avenue the grade shall be 253.00 at the northwest corner, 251.50 at a point on the east side opposite thereto, 251.50 at the southwest corner and 252.00 at a point on the east side opposite thereto.

At the intersection of the west line of Rampart street with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be 265.71, and 265.50 at a point on the west side opposite said intersection.

At the intersection with Eighth street the grade shall be 278.00 at the northwest corner, as now established on Eighth street. And at all points between said designated points the grade shall be established so as to conform to a straight line drawn between said designated points.

Elevations are in feet and above a plane which is 225 feet below city datum plane.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of February 13, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk.

Approved this 15th day of February, 1905.

OWEN McALEER,

Mayor.

2-17-26 10t

Notice of Public Work.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 16th day of January, A.D. 1905, the Council of the City of Los Angeles did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention numbered 10469, New Series, to have the following work done, to wit:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles to close up, vacate and abandon, for street purposes, all that portion of

CONCORD STREET,

a public street of the City of Los Angeles from the southerly line of Fourth street to a point 34 feet southerly therefrom, described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fourth street distant 32 feet southeasterly from the most easterly corner of lot 1, block A of the Mountain View Tract, as per map recorded in Book 24, at page 96, Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County; thence southeasterly along said southerly line of Fourth street 32 feet to a point; thence southwesterly and parallel with the easterly line of said block A, 245 feet to a point; thence northwesterly and parallel with said southerly line of Fourth street 32 feet to a point; thence northeasterly and parallel with said easterly line of block A, 245 feet to the point of beginning.

Sec. 2. That the exterior boundaries of the district of land to be affected by said work or improvement are hereby specified and declared to be as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Fourth street distant 40 feet southeasterly from the most easterly corner of lot 1, block A of the Mountain View Tract, as hereinbefore mentioned; thence southeasterly along said southerly line of Fourth street 20 feet to a point; thence southwesterly and parallel with the easterly line of said block A a distance of 245 feet to a point; thence northwesterly and parallel with said southerly line of Fourth street 20 feet to a point; thence northeasterly in a direct line to the point of beginning.

Reference is hereby made to said Ordinance of Intention for further particulars.

JAMES HANLEY,

Street Superintendent.

By C. ROY McKEON, Deputy. 2-13-22 10t

ORDINANCE NO. 10,568.

(New Series)

An Ordinance declaring the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of Fifteenth street from Central avenue to McKinley avenue.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Los Angeles to establish the grade of

FIFTEENTH STREET

from Central avenue to McKinley avenue, as follows:

At the intersection with Central avenue the grade shall be 178.50 at the southwest corner and 178.60 at the southeast corner, as now established on Central avenue.

At the intersection with Domingues street the grade shall be 175.95 at the northwest corner, 175.97 at the northeast corner, 175.75 at the southeast corner and 175.62 at the southwest corner.

At the intersection with McKinley avenue the grade shall be 174.45 at the northeast corner and 174.39 at the southeast corner, as now established on McKinley avenue. And at all points between said designated points the grade shall be established so as to conform to a straight line drawn between said designated points.

Elevations are in feet and above a plane which is 225 feet below city datum plane.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Los Angeles Daily Times, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of February 13, 1905.

H. J. LELANDE,

City Clerk.

Approved this 15th day of February, 1905.

OWEN McALEER,

Mayor.

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Notice of Public Work.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 23rd day of January, A.D. 1905, the Council of the City of Los Angeles did, at its meeting on said day, adopt an Ordinance of Intention numbered 10,469 (New Series) to have the following work done, to wit:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles to close up, vacate and abandon, for street purposes, all that portion of

MAIN STREET,

a public street of the City of Los Angeles, along the westerly line thereof, between Bruno street and Redondo street, described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Redondo street, distant 40 feet northwesterly, measured at right angles, from the adopted center line of Main street, as shown by the records of the City Engineer's office of the City of Los Angeles; thence southwesterly and parallel with said adopted center of Main street to a point in the northerly line of Bruno street; thence southeasterly at right angles to said center line of Main street, a distance of one foot to a

DAILY REPORT OF ORANGE MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bright, warm spring weather gave the orange market a boom, and auctions today went off with a snap which had been foreign to them for some weeks. Offerings were 25 cars, and they faded like dew in the sun when the buyers got started. Prices have advanced 10@15 cents on an average at the last two sales. Sunny weather enabled street retailers to open up in force and it took several cars to supply their wants. Buyers from out of town were in looking for fruit for the holiday. No one has any stock on hand and trade is bound to be good as soon as weather permits safe shipment and display on street stands. Stocks in sight are only moderate, which helps the situation materially. Floridas are not considered.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Twenty-six cars sol dat auction today. The weather is fine and pleasant. The market is strong with good demand.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Pointer, Xc, A. C. G. Fruit Exchange	$1.60
Don Quixote, Xc, Semi-Tropic Fruit Exchange	1.70
Quail, Xc, Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange	1.75
Quail, Xc, Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange	1.90
Blue Globe, Xf, Riverside Fruit Exchange	1.95
Whittier, Xc, Semi-Tropic Fruit Exchange	1.95
Stag, Xf, A. C. G. Fruit Exchange	1.95
Arrowhead, Xc, Highland Orange Growers' Association	2.00
Pine Cone, Xf, Highland Orange Growers' Association	2.10
Iris, Xf, Duarte-Monrovia Fruit Exchange	2.10
Our Pride, Xf, Riverside Fruit Exchange	2.15
Pointer T. L, Xc, A. C. G. Fruit Exchange	2.30
Our Favorite T. L., Fy, Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside	2.55
Camellia, Xf, Cal. Citrus Union, Redlands	2.25
Our Favorite, Fy, Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside	2.10
Our Monogram, Fy, Cal. Citrus Union, Redlands	2.00
Fuller's Fancy, Fy, Fuller & Sons, Redlands	2.00
Fuller's Fancy, Ch, Fuller & Sons, Redlands	1.90
Standard, St, Fuller & Sons, Redlands	1.75
Tropical Queen TI, St, Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside	2.05
Tropical Queen, St, Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside	1.85
Cyril,	1.80
Warrior, Xc, Stewart Fruit Co.	1.90
Rescue, Ex. Ch, Stewart Fruit Co	2.00
Niagara, Xf, Stewart Fruit Co.	2.05
Signal, Xf, Stewart Fruit Co.	2.15
Mt. Harrison, Ch, F. L. Sewell	1.95
Mt. Harrison, Fy, F. L. Sewell	2.15
La France, Ch, J. S. Kuns Fruit Co., Covina	1.90
Old Mission, Fy, C. C. Chapman, Fullerton	1.90
Corwins, Ch, W. S. Corwin, Highland	2.00
Corwins, Fy, W. S. Corwin, Highland	2.10
La Loma, Ch, Frank P. Corson, Highgrove	2.00
La Loma, Fy, Frank P. Corson, Highgrove	2.10
Clover, Xc, Redlands Orange Growers' Association	2.05
Clover, Xc, Redlands Orange Growers' Association	2.05
La Verne Beauties	2.05
Independent, Ch, Highland Dist	2.05
Independent, Fy, Highland Dist	2.35
Priscilla, Fy, W. H. Randall Assn, Highland	2.25

TANGERINES.

Gypsy Queen, ½ bxs, Xf, Cal. Citrus Union, Riverside 2.10

LEMONS.

Twenty-four thousand boxes of Sicily lemons sold. The cargo was in good order. The market is very strong, 15c to 20c higher. Next sale will be Tuesday, when 27,000 boxes will be offered.

Fancy 300s, $2.20 to	$2.40
Choice 300s, 2 to	2.15
Fancy 360s, 2.10 to	2.25
Choice 360s, 1.95 to	2.05

BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON (Mass.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirteen cars sold at auction today. The weather is fine and pleasant. The market is firm on good stock. Prices low on account of condition.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Moon, Xc, Redlands Eclipse Assn.	$1.50
Fountain, Ch, Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange, Rialto	1.60
Atlas, Xc, Redlands Eclipse Assn.	1.80
La Verne Home	1.80
La Verne Beauties	1.80
Clover, Xc, Redlands Orange Growers' Association	2.05
Atlas, Xc, Redlands Eclipse Assn.	2.05
Vista Bonita, Ch, W. F. Whittier, Redlands	2.10
Gold	2.20
Vista Bonita, Fy, W. F. Whittier, Redlands	2.20
Selects, St, Cal. Citrus Union, San Dimas	1.70
Gold Coin, Ch, Cal. Citrus Union, San Dimas	1.65
Liberty Bell, Xc, Cal. Citrus Union, Monrovia	1.75
Geranium, Xc, Cal. Citrus Union, Highlands	1.95
Quail, Xc, Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange	1.90
Swan, Fy, San Bernardino Co. Fruit Exchange	1.90
Bear, Xf, Ontario-Cucamonga Fruit Exchange	2.20

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Feb. 22, 1905.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,396,916. For the corresponding day of 1904, $1,176,363.68; for the same day of 1903, $974,254.41.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .27½	$ .27¾
Central	.61	.66½
Continental	.26	.28½
Columbia	.19	.22
Fullerton Consolidated	.15	.18
Fullerton Oil	.52½	.55½
Globe	.65	.70
Hercules Oil Ref. Co.	....	....
Home (Whittier)	.20	.25
Mexican Petroleum	.18	.20
Olinda Land Co.	.65	.70
Reed Crude	2.00	2.25
Senator	....	....
Turner	....	....
Whittier Con. Oil	.61	.63½
Westlake	.50½	....
Union	70.00	72.00
United Petroleum	....	117.00
Western Union	....	70.00

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American G. & C.	....	....
Bisbee Bells C.	....	....
Bisbee West C.	.07½	....
Butte Lode	15.00	21.00
Bufa	60.00	....
Consolidated Mines Co.	....	....
Golden Anchor	....	20.00
Greene Consolidated	35.75	40.00
Exposed Treasure	....	....
Jessie Bells	....	.05
Nevada Chief	....	.04
New Era	.10½	.15
Nevada-Keystone	.20	.30
Peninsula M. & S. Co.	.01	.02
Quartzolo	9.50	12.00
Santa Ana Tin M. Co.	....	....
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	.36	....
Verde King	....	.16

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$160.00	$160.50
Broadway Bank & Trust	140.00	145.00
Central	162.00	200.00
Citizens' National	166.00	....
Equitable Savings Bank	80.00	....
Farmers' & Merc. Nat'l	230.00	....
*First National	410.00	....
German-American	265.00	400.00
Home Savings Bank of L. A.	60.00	65.00
Los Angeles National	195.00	197.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	100.00	104.00
Union Bank & Savings	220.00	....
Merchants' National	240.00	300.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	92.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	160.00	200.00
Security Savings Bank	235.00	....
So. Cal. Savings	350.00	....
Southwestern National	100.00	110.50
Union Bank of Savings	....	....
State Bank & Trust	100.00	106.00
West Side Bank	100.00	110.00

*Extra dividends 32 December, 1903, and 32 December, 1904.
*60 per cent. paid up.

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	85	88
Cal. Pacific Railway	....	102
Cal. Improvement Co.	....	....
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	....
Cal. Portland C. Co.	....	....
Corona, City Water Co.	....	100
Edison Electric Co. Con.	99½	101
Edison Elec. Co. (old issue)	101	102
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtgs.	100	102
Home Telephone	89	90
L. A. Traction Co.	110	112
L. A. Electric Co.	....	....
L. A. & Redondo Ry. Co.	....	104
L. A. & Pac. Elec. Co.	....	....
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	90
Ontario Dem. W. Co.	....	100
Pomona & O. L. & D. Co.	....	100
Pomona Land & W. Co.	....	102
Riverside L. & P. Co.	....	100
San Antonio W. Co.	....	102
Pacific Electric Railway Co.	108	110
Pacific Light & P. Co.	99½	100
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	....
Seaside Water Co.	94	98
Temescal Water Co.	....	98
United Electric, G. & P. Co.	....	101
Union Trans. Co.	96	102
Visalia Water Co.	....	97

*Prices include accrued interest.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Conservative Life Ins. Co.	....	....
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	15.00	....
California Hospital	....	....
Edison Electric Co. pfd.	71.25	72.00
Emergency Hospital	....	49.00
Home Telephone	49.00	50.50
Home Trust	49.00	51.00
Los Angeles Brewery	....	....
Title G. & Trust pfd.	115.50	....
L. A. Jockey Club	109.00	111.00
Pacific Wireless Tel. Co.	....	5.00
Rialto Water Co.	....	....
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd.	102.00	....
Sun Drug Co.	....	36

EXCHANGE NOTES. Bidding was rather quiet on the Stock Exchange yesterday, and no sales were made.

Some interest was taken in oil stocks, but buyers were disposed to be conservative. Associated closed at 27¼ bid, a shade better than the day before, asked 27¾, but Continental declined fractionally on the bid, and advanced fractionally on the asked price, closing at 26@26½. Fullerton also went off fractionally on both figures, closing at 2-4 bid, 23½ asked. Globe declined a point in the bid, closing at 5, and 8 asked.

American National Bank declined ¼ a point in the holder's price, closing strong at 160@160.50. Merchants' Trust Company advanced 5 points on the bid, closing at 92, but there were no offerings.

In the bond market, Associated Oil advanced fractionally on the bid, and declined fractionally on the holder's price, but the two were still 3 points apart, and no sale was made, unless the parties were brought together on the street.

In miscellaneous stocks Edison Electric preferred advanced ¼ point on the holders' price, closing at 71¼@72. Home Telephone was somewhat weaker in the buyer's opinion, and fractionally stronger in the seller's, closing at 49 bid, 50½ asked. Title Guarantee and Trust preferred advanced 1 point on the bid, closing at 115½, but there were no offerings.

WORLD'S GOLD OUTPUT. The world's gold output for 1904 was $358,-892,654, and that for 1903, $326,159,991, showing an increase of $32,732,663.

INVESTMENT IN FOREIGN BONDS. American banking houses underwrote or purchased $160,000,000 worth of foreign government securities in 1904, and it is said that $125,000,000 of these securities came into the actual possession of American investors. These issues consisted of $40,000,000 of Mexican bonds; $25,000,000 of the first Japanese war loan, $30,000,000 of the second Japanese war loan; $5,000,000 Mexican treasury notes, and $17,500,000 of London subway notes.

In addition to this unprecedented absorption of foreign bonds, the demand by investors for high-class railroad and municipal bonds was great, and for the first time in the history of the country foreign banking houses invested heavily in American municipal bonds.

COMMERCIAL.

CITRUS MOVEMENT. The shipments of citrus fruits Sunday and Monday were 64 carloads of oranges and 20 carloads of lemons; grand total of shipments, 8807, of which 690 were lemons.

RECEIVED AT NEW YORK. Following is a statement of the arrivals of Pacific Coast products at the port of New York, February 13:

	Water.	Rail.
Canned salmon, cases	570	....
Dried fruit, packages	800	....
Dried prunes, packages	1,700	....
Raisins, boxes	753	....
Oranges, boxes	....	12,500

PACIFIC PACKING AND NAVIGATION CO. The balance of the property of the Pacific Packing and Navigation Co., held in Bellingham, Wash., and Juneau, Alaska, has been acquired by a syndicate headed by J. P. Morgan and E. C. Converse, president of the Liberty National Bank, New York. The assets were bought for $205,000.

SEATTLE GETS COLORADOS. An entire trainload, thirty cars, of Colorado potatoes, has reached Seattle, says a dispatch from that point to the New York Commercial, dated February 14. Other large purchases are to follow, and the produce jobbers of the Northwest are reported to be in consternation.

This market was threatened with an avalanche of Colorado potatoes not long ago, and the only thing that kept them out was the freight rate, and what was intended for Los Angeles is porbably what has been diverted to Seattle.

Spud values in the North have taken a sudden drop.

NEW TEA STANDARDS. Secretary Shaw has issued a circular on the season's tea standards and officially establishing the same as the standards for the current year. They are as follows:

No. 1—Formosa Oolong.
No. 2—Foochow Oolong.
No. 3—North China Congou.
No. 4—South China Congou.
No. 5—India (use for Ceylon.)
No. 6—Pingsuey green.
No. 7—Country green.
No. 8—Japan sun fired (use for sun fired-1.)
No. 9—Japan basket fired.
No. 10—Japan dust or fannings.
No. 11—Capers (use for scented Orange Pekoe.)
No. 12—Canton Oolong (use last year's standard.)
No. 13—Scented Canton (use last year's standard.)

Should a tea prove on examination to be inferior to the standard in any one of the requisites, viz: quality, scum, or quality of infusion, it shall be rejected, notwithstanding that it be superior to the standard in some of the qualifications. No consideration shall be given to the appearance or so-called style of the dry leaf.

BREADSTUFFS SITUATION. During the month of January the supplies of wheat in the United States and Canada were reduced 6,572,000 bushels, against an increase of 1,669,000 bushels during December, and a decrease of 1,672,000 bushels during January, 1904. The reduction was quite general throughout the United States, but not very large anywhere. Supplies in the Northwest were reduced 1,364,000 bushels, compared with an increase of 1,479,000 bushels in January, 1904. Stocks in the interior elevators of the Northwest were estimated to be reduced 1,515,000 bushels, compared with a reduction of 473,000 bushels during December, and a decrease of 578,000 bushels during January, 1904. Aggregate supplies of wheat in second hands in the United States and Canada on February 1, 1905, were 617,000,000 bushels less than one year ago, and 24,826,000 bushels less than two years ago.—[Chicago Daily Trade Bulletin.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

The produce market was quiet again yesterday, the warmer weather having little appreciable effect on the trading. Supplies generally were in somewhat better quantity and prices were well maintained all along the line.

In the potato market the undertone continues strong, notably in extra fancy Salinas stocks which are practically out of the market, and selling in a jobbing way at $1.75 a hundred. The supplies of choice Salinas are light and were jobbing at $1.60. Highlands were in plenty, but trading was somewhat slow at $1.15 to $1.20; Woodward Islands were in light supply and good demand at $1.30 to $1.35.

A wire was received yesterday stating that the steamer Coos Bay could not make the port of San Simeon Monday, the primary point for Coast butter, on account of the storm, and as a result no receipts of Coast creamery will reach this market until the first of next week, unless producers send stocks to San Luis Obispo and ship from that point by rail, and dealers may order this to be done; but, it would, of course, mean dearer butter. The shipping to Arizona and around the Kite-shaped track was extremely heavy, and no dealers had any surplus on hand at the closing. Coast was quoted at 55 cents. Heavy receipts of Valley butter came in, but the demand took care of practically every pound offering, stocks being quotably unchanged.

The official price of eggs was again fixed at 25 cents, but the supply was scarcely enough to meet requirements, and the market continues extremely firm and strong.

Vegetables were in little better supply yesterday and prices a little closer. Peas were selling in a jobbing way at 4 to 6 cents; tomatoes $1.50; spinach 15 to 20; celery 35 to 40, the price being better than is now obtained in the East.

The onion market is somewhat stronger and Yellow Danvers were in good request at $3.25 to $3.50, though a good deal of poor stuff was received which was jobbing at 2 to 2½ cents per pound.

Fresh bananas were scarce and in good demand at prices already quoted.

The apple market continues to show little animation, though the prices remain the same.

Some strawberries in poor condition arrived in the market, and were in slow demand at 8 to 10 cents.

Tangerines were in good demand, but quotably unchanged.

The Produce Exchange reported supplies for February 20 as follows: Eggs, local, 308 cases; butter, 15,385 pounds; cheese, none; potatoes, Irish, 1420 sacks; sweet potatoes, 67 sacks; onions, 572 sacks; beans, none.

The fish market was again well supplied with halibut, but all other fish were scarce. Crabs and lobsters were also scarce.

Poultry continues firm and scarce.

The wild-game market was scantily supplied with rabbits and geese.

Alfalfa is weighting the hay market and the demand is very weak at $12. The undertone is weaker on all grades except choice, No. 1 barley selling at $14, and No. 2 at $12 to $12, choice $15 to $16.

Following are the jobbing prices in the Los Angeles market:

NEW YORK MARKETS.
SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The operations in today's stock market were of a character to encourage the hope, long deferred, of an active entry into the market of the public at large. The principal share of the market hitherto has been attributed to professional operators. The encouraging feature of these operations is, of course, based on a general confidence in the prosperity of general conditions and a confident investment demand, which buttresses values in the face of demand on all recessions; but the hope of the professional contingent, which has been trading stocks, has looked longingly forward to an outbreak of a speculation of much wider scope than is involved in such operations as these and which is seen but once or twice in a generation. Such a movement has already occurred in this generation, and it culminated in the panic of May, 1901. The unfortunate issue of that experience brought severe punishment that seemed to serve as a warning to the whole public and to discourage their attempt to obtain and share in the benefits of the long expected advance which has occurred in the present stock market. The demand for stocks from this source up to this time has been entirely inconspicuous, but evidences were unmistakable today that the public was coming freely into the market. The tide of the buying demand had all of the impressive sweep of periods of widespread speculation, and the movements were characteristically lacking in special news to explain them. The only news that seemed to regard as an advance is higher prices. Wherever this occurred, it was sure to be followed quickly by a surging demand which churned up the particular stock affected into violent activity and buoyancy. All news was favorably interpreted, or if that was not feasible, was ignored. Union Pacific was the feature of the market. It was married immediately to a record price level. The previous record of 133 was touched in May, 1901, during the period of buying of the stock in retaliation for the campaign by its enemies for control of Northern Pacific. Information from well-informed sources precluded the idea that anything like a corner in the stock was threatened. Equally-informed authorities denied the talk that any plan was in progress looking to a change in the status of the company. Banking interests near to the company were authority for the opinion that the movement was purely due to speculation in the stock. An even violent price movement was that in the Sloss-Sheffield steel, which advanced over 20 points. Rumors were plentiful of a coming merger of Southern iron companies. Storm blockades and holding up of cotton are forcing down the earnings of the Southern roads, but that group was conspicuous for strength in the day's movement. The reported abandonment of railroad-rate legislation for this session of Congress in the hope that the New Haven labor trouble is to be arbitrated, and the belief that the war of rates on export grain will soon be terminated were minor influences in keeping up the demand, but the other overriding factor was the growth and spread of speculative excitement, which brought increasing crowds of buyers into the market. Buying for this character, without a reason why, swept prices irresistably to a higher level. That advantage was taken of the advent of public buying to unload was shown by enormous sales, which were a conspicuous and unsettlement of the market. The closing itself was irregular, but the general character of the day's operations was bullish, and was not altered by this fact. Bonds were steady, but were not so active as stocks. Total sales, $5,025,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Close: Money on call, steady, 2@2½ per cent.; closing bid, 2¼; offered, 2½; time loans, steady; 60 and 90 days, 3 per cent.; 6 months, 3½@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87¼@4.87 2-10 for demand and at 4.85 1-10@4.85 2-10 for 60 day bills; posted rates, 4.85½@4.86 and 4.88½; commercial bills, 4.85. Bar silver, 51; Mexican dollars, 47¼. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, steady.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—London cabled lower tin prices with spot at £13s. 10s. and futures at £130. In London the market was easy, with spot bids at 28.75@ 9.00. Copper was a shade higher at 66.3s 9d for spot and 67.2s 6d for futures in the London market. Locally, it was unchanged with lake held at 15.37½@15.50, and casting at 15.00@15.25. Lead was unchanged at 4.40@4.50 in the local market, while London was firmer at £12. 10d. Spelter was easier in London, closing at £24. 7s 6d, but remained unchanged at 6.10@6.20 in New York. Iron was unchanged.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	20,900	87½	86¾	86¾
Atchison pfd	4,200	103½	102¾	102¾
Atlantic Coast Line	200	121½	121½	120½
Baltimore & Ohio	28,100	106	105¼	105¾
B. & O. pfd	300	97½	97¼	97¼
Canadian Pacific	7,600	137¾	137	137½
Central of New Jersey	400	200	200	200
Chesapeake & Ohio	4,400	51¾	51¼	51¾
Chicago & Alton	100	41¾	41½	41¾
Chicago & Alton pfd	....	....	....	80
Chicago Great Western	8,100	29¼	28¾	28¾
Chicago & N. W.	2,200	226	225¾	225¾
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	26,500	177½	177¼	177¼
Chicago Ter. & Trans.	800	18¾	18	18¾
Chicago T. & T. pfd	200	37½	37½	37½
C., C., C. & St. Louis	600	102	102	97¾
Colorado & Southern	2,200	28¾	28	28
Colo. & So. 1st pfd	100	67¾	67¾	67
Colo. & So. 2nd pfd	100	47½	47	47
Delaware & Hudson	4,200	176	175½	175¾
Del., Lack. & Western	200	258	257¾	257¾
Denver & Rio Grande	700	33½	33¼	33
D. & R. G. pfd	200	88	88	88
Erie	1,500	41¾	41¾	41¾
Erie 1st pfd	15,200	69¾	69¼	69¾
Erie 2nd pfd	3,300	49½	49¼	49¼
Hocking Valley	300	81¾	81¼	81¾
Hocking Valley pfd	100	91¾	91¾	91¾
Illinois Central	5,600	139¾	134	139¾
Iowa Central	300	24¾	24	23¾
Iowa Central 1st	....	....	....	69½
Kansas City Southern	100	26¾	26¾	26¾
K. C. Southern pfd	400	67	66¾	66¾
Louisville & Nashville	2,700	138¾	138	138
Manhattan L.	4,200	179½	178	178
Metropolitan Securities	2,900	87	87	87
Metropolitan St. Ry.	9,400	131¾	130¾	130¾
Mexican Central	300	23	22¾	23
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	70
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	2,300	165¾	164	164¾
Minn., St. Paul pfd	....	....	....	128
Missouri Pacific	21,700	108¾	107¾	108¾
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	4,200	12¾	12¾	12¾
M., K. & T. pfd	4,000	38	38	38¼
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd	100	41¾	41¾	41¾
New York Central	11,100	149½	147¾	149¾
N. Y., Ontario & W.	27,600	47¾	47¼	47¾
Norfolk & Western	6,500	84	83¾	83¾
N. & W. pfd	200	84¾	84	84
Pennsylvania	35,600	140¾	139¾	140
Reading, C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	24
Reading	139,500	98¾	96¾	98¾
Reading 1st pfd	1,000	92	92	91¾
Reading 2nd pfd	....	....	....	84¾
Rock Island	2,100	33¾	33¾	34¾
Rock Island Co. pfd	300	81¾	81	81¾
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	900	70¾	70¾	70¾
St. Louis, S. W.	300	28¾	28	28¾
St. L. & S. W. pfd	300	63¾	63¾	63¾
Southern Pacific	81,200	69¾	69¼	69¾
So. Pacific pfd	1,400	120¾	119¾	119¾
Southern Railway	28,400	25¾	24¾	24¾
Southern Ry. pfd	1,400	87¾	87¾	87¾
Texas & Pacific	22,300	28	28	28
Toledo, St. L. & W.	800	27¾	26¾	26¾
T., St. L. & W. pfd	3,500	54¾	54¾	54¾
Union Pacific	283,300	134	129¾	133¾
Union Pacific pfd	2,400	104¾	103¾	104¼
Wabash	1,600	22	22¾	22¾
Wabash pfd	2,700	47	46¾	46¾
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	24
Wisconsin Central	1,000	34¾	34¾	34¾
Central pfd	2,500	53¾	53	53¾
Express companies—	....	....	....	....
Adams	....	....	....	247½
American	....	....	....	220
United States	....	....	....	130
Wells-Fargo	300	240	238	240
Miscellaneous—	....	....	....	....
Amalgamated Copper	119,100	77¾	76¼	77¾
Am. Car & Foundry	1,700	34¾	33¾	34¾
Am. C. & F. pfd	200	112¾	112¾	112¾
American Cotton Oil	1,000	55¾	55¼	55¾
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	....	....	....	97
American Ice	100	8	8	8
American Ice pfd	200	40¼	40	40
American Linseed Oil	....	....	....	18¾
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	....	....	....	34¾
American Locomotive	4,800	41¾	40¾	40¾
Am. Locomotive pfd	400	112	110¾	110¾
Am. Smelting & Ref.	32,600	70¾	69¾	70
Am. S. & R. pfd	2,700	110	110	110
Am. Sugar Refining	21,800	143¾	142¾	143¾
Am. Tobacco, pfd. cer.	....	97¾	97¾	97¾
Anaconda Mining Co.	2,100	108¾	107¾	107¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	52,700	47¾	46¾	46¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	24,600	53¾	53¾	53¾
Consolidated Gas	4,100	207	205¾	205¾
Corn Products	4,500	21¾	21¼	21¾
Corn Products pfd	400	78	77¾	77¾
Distillers' Securities	600	28¾	28¼	28¾
General Electric	1,200	181¾	180¾	180¾
International Paper	2,400	23¾	21	20½
Int'l Paper pfd	....	....	....	70
International Pump	1,700	40	39¾	39¾
Int'l Pump 1st	....	....	....	94
National Lead	14,700	39	38	38¾
North American	200	102	102	102
Pacific Mail	10,000	48¾	47¾	47¾
People's Gas	2,100	102¾	101¾	101¾
Pressed Steel Car	4,400	33¾	32¾	32¾
Pressed Steel Car pfd	600	89	88¾	89
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	240
Republic Steel	21,070	20¾	19¾	19¾
Republic Steel pfd	13,600	80	77¾	78¾
Rubber Goods	2,500	27	26¾	26¾
Rubber Goods pfd	....	....	....	91
Penn. Coal & Iron	1,700	216	215	215¾
United States Leather	1,400	12¾	11¾	12¾
U. S. Leather pfd	1,100	102¾	101	102¾
United States Realty	2,300	96¾	95¾	96¾
United States Rubber	2,600	45¾	45	45¾
U. S. Rubber pfd	200	116	115¾	115¾
United States Steel	122,200	38¾	37¾	38¾
U. S. Steel pfd	4,500	95¾	95¼	95¾
Va. Carolina Chemical	100	73	73	73
Va. Carolina Chem. pfd	400	110	110	110
Westinghouse Electric	300	150	150	150
Western Union	400	90¾	90	90
Total sales for day	1,093,000			

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	104½	Japan 6s, certif.	104¾
U. S. R. 2s coup.	104½	Mex. Con. G. 4s	100¾
U. S. 2s reg.	107¾	Mex. Con. 4s	....
U. S. 2s coup.	107¾	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	38¾
U. S. n. 3s reg.	111½	M. & St. L. 4s	....
U. S. n. 3s coup.	111½	M., K. & T. 4s	101
U. S. old 4s reg.	112½	M., K. & T. 2nds	80
U. S. old 4s coup.	106¾	Mex. Nat'l Ry. 4s	93¾
U. S. 4s reg.	138½	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	100
Am. Tob. 6s, cer.	118½	N. Y. C. Gen. 3½s	103¾
Atchison, Gen. 4s	104¼	N. P. 3s	....
Atchison, Adj. 4s	87	N. P. 4s	104¾
Atlantic C. L. 4s	102¾	N. W. Con. 4s	137
B. & O. 6s	116	Oregon R. & N. 4s	97¾
B. & O. 3½s	95	Pa. Conv. 3½s	101¾
Can. of Ga. 5s	117	Reading Gen. 4s	102¾
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	97¾	St. L. & I. M. 5s	110¾
C. of Ga. 2nd Inc.	85	St. L. & S. F. 4s	95¾
C. & O. 6½s	150¾	St. L., S. W. 4s	87¾
C. & A. 4½s	83¾	Seaboard A. L. 4s	91¼
C., R. & P. 4s	84½	So. Pacific 4s	96¾
C., R. I. & P. 4s	83¾	So. Railway 5s	122
C., R. I. & P. 5s	94¾	T. & P. 1sts	123¾
C., C. C. & St. L.	102	T., St. L. & W. 4s	84¼
Chicago Term. 4s	93¾	Union Pac. 4s	105¾
Colo. Midland 4s	75	U. P. Conv. 4s	102¾
Colo. & So. 4s	87¾	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	94¾
Cuba 5s, reg.	107¾	Wabash 1sts	118¾
Cuba 5s, coup.	107¾	Wabash 2nds	104¾
Distillers' Sec. 5s	74½	Western Md. 4s	95¾
Erie gold 1st	103¾	W. & L. E. 4s	93
Erie Gen. 4s	95¾	Wis. Cen. 4s	94
Ft. W. & Den. 6s	140		
Hock. Val. 4½s	111½		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money	....	U. Shoe M. pfd	91
Call loans	2½@2	U. S. Steel	23¾
Time loans	3½@4	U. S. Steel pfd	95¾
Atchison	86¾	Westinghouse Com.	151
Atchison, Adj. 4s	86¾	Miniata—	....
Atchison 4s	104¾	Adventure	7
Mex. Cen. 4s	74	Allouez	2
Bonds—	....	Amalgamated	77¾
Atchison	84½	American Zinc	11
Atchison pfd	102¾	Atlantic	17¾
Boston & Albany	258	C. & Hecla	690@692
Boston & Maine	177	Centennial	21
Boston Elevated	152¾	Copper Range	74¾
Fitchburg pfd	142¾	Daly West	17¾
Mexican Central	23¾	Dominion Coal	63¾
N. Y. N. H. & H.	214	Franklin	11¾
Old Colony	210	Granby	3¾
Rutland pfd	72	La Rose	2¾
Union Pacific	133¾	Mass. Mining	13¾
Wabash pfd	47¾	Michigan	14¾
Wolverine	118	Mohawk	63
		Mont. Coal & C.	41¾
		Old Dominion	23¾
		Osceola	93½
		Parrot	15¾
		Quincy	108
		Shannon	8¾
		Tamarack	130
		Trinity	13¾
		U. S. Mining	27¾
		U. S. Oil	4¾
		Utah	42
		Victoria	3¾
		Winona	17¾
		Wolverine	118

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Today's statement of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $128,

MINES AND MINING.

WATER FOR DRY MINES.

Important Developments in Desert Near Indio.

Los Angeles Merchants After Bullfrog Business.

Deal in Kern County—Bisbee Merger Denied.

Still recently little public notice has been given to the dry and arid mountain wastes of San Bernardino and adjoining counties. A few persistent men, however, have been quietly at work prospecting and locating the rich and best ground until a large territory has been staked, lying near the dividing line between these two counties, about thirty miles north of Indio on the Southern Pacific Railroad.

It is not exaggerating to state that gold has been found in outcroppings of ledges in hundreds of places in these rough hills. Thirty-six assay samples brought in by Dr. Stephen Bowers, an expert, when making an examination of thirty-two claims, averaged $6 in value per ton. A few tons of the higher-grade ore have been hauled a long distance to a stamp mill and it is claimed netted $100 per ton. On account of lack of water at the mines little work could be done by individual miners, but they have interested local capitalists and as a result there have been two strong companies formed with large capital to work and after fifteen miles for their own water and for distribution to other parties.

The El Dorado Consolidated Mines, one of the above-mentioned companies, has its offices in the Bullard Block, Los Angeles. Its officers are: Fred F. Rockwell, president; F. E. Crawford, vice-president; C. E. McKee, treasurer, and L. L. Washburn, secretary. This company has had a force of men at work for the past four months on its property, thirty-two claims, and proposes to erect large reduction works for its personal and custom work. The Riverside County Board of Supervisors and others have joined in the effort to shorten and improve the present road from Indio to this district.

OTHER BULLFROG TRADE.

A correspondent writing to The Times from Beatty, in the Bullfrog district, says that Los Angeles merchants are doing a big business of that booming district. The first commercial traveler to visit the new camps has just arrived from the city and reports getting a number of orders for goods. Considerable gold has in the past gone to San Francisco, but it is expected that this export of this can be turned to Los Angeles easily in view of the fact that direct communication, so far as railroads are concerned, with the northern camps gives no practical advantage under present conditions.

Jack Montgomery, well known in Los Angeles, has made a strike on the Amargosa group near Beatty, that is attracting great attention. Of the claims, one ran less than $4, two more than $70 and five others up into the hundreds. The indications are that a bonanza has been struck.

GOLD IN KERN.

Reports are located in the Amalie district of Kern county a claim which seems to be rich in lead, something greatly desired in that section as a means of advancing the ores to a smelter. Ore taken from the claim is estimated to carry 70 per cent. of lead, $250 silver and $30 gold. The vein has not yet been opened to the extent and width is speculative.

ACTIVITY AT STEIN'S PASS.

The Mineral Hill Mining Company of this city, of which J. W. A. Off is president, reports activity at the mines in Stein's Pass, N. M., where it is operating. There are three companies working at this camp, the other two being the Grant Copper and the Southern companies, and about 100 men are employed. The ores are silver and gold.

Shipments have been operated for several years and the ores are hauled to the El Paso smelter. In this way Stein's Pass has an advantage over but few camps, it having the benefit of the sharpest possible competition between the Southern Pacific at El Paso and Southwestern, which pass within a few miles of the camp. As a result of low freight rates on ores have been reduced from $4 a ton to $1. The shippers never have been on good terms and the feeling between them is more than likely to prevent any agreement being made.

SMELTER AT GLEASON.

The smelter at Gleason, Ariz., is reported to be running full blast. A fifty-ton stack is now in operation and another of 100 tons is being put in and expected to be ready some time early next month. It is said that increased facilities are to be put on at some of the mines.

MERGER IS DENIED.

A dispatch from Bisbee says that S. Hoffman, superintendent of the Bisbee properties, embracing the Copper Queen and Pittsburg, the Lake Superior and Pittsburg, the Pittsburg Consolidated and Junction mines, denies positively and unqualifiedly the report of the $22,000,000 merger of all the companies published in the Bisbee and other papers. It is also said that the most recent advices from Michigan bear the story to be a pure fabrication, emanating from a broker in Boston.

The property which has been under consideration for the last five months by the Lake Superior and Pittsburg, the Calumet and Pittsburg and the Copper Queen, Bisbee, has just been completed by the El Paso and Southwestern Railroad and will greatly facilitate shipments. The approximate tonnage of the spur is 4300 feet, with an average grade of one-half per cent., and several 12-degree curves. One cut on the line is 70 feet in depth and 400 feet long, and another twenty-five feet deep and 300 feet long. A fill forty feet deep and 400 feet long also to be handled.

The Copper Dominion Company has reduced the cost of smelting from $5 to $3.50 a ton, by its new plant, which is now in operation. The cost of mining is now about $4.50, a reduction of $1 and $7 a ton. The cheapening in development with the high grade ores for the metal, have enabled the company to work 5-per-cent. ore at a profit at the present time. The company has increased the wages of a number of employes. The smelter is to be enlarged by the addition of one, or possibly more furnaces.

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Attorney John H. Foley of this city, Head Adviser of the Woodmen of the World, has been elected Head Counsel of the order to fill out the unexpired term of the late F. A. Falkenburg, who died in this city a few days ago.

The district convention of the Woodmen of the World will be held at Santa Monica March 8, and the national convention in this city, April 18. There are 96,000 members of the order on the Pacific Coast, exclusive of the Women of Woodcraft, the women's branch, which numbers 50,000, and it is expected the convention will be largely attended.

IN THE EARTH.

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POPULAR QUERIES AND EXPERT ANSWERS.

[Answers to legitimate questions in mineralogy, metallurgy, chemistry or mining will be given here, but only when of interest to the mining or commercial world. Personal questions, from curio dealers and mineral collectors, on ores, minerals, earths or metals of non-commercial value, and assays for metal, will not be answered, but should be referred direct to analysts and assayers. Address The Times.]

Amblygonite.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 8.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Please give reply "In the Earth" to the questions which follow:

(1.) Give a description of amblygonite mineralogically?

(2.) What does chemistry find as its components?

(3.) Give me test for phosphoric acid? Yours truly, D. J. M.

ANSWER: Amblygonite of Pala, Cal., and elsewhere is alike. The Pala mineral is found in immense quantity and there will, probably, be quite a commercial use for it before long. Dana classifies and describes one variety as durangite, aluminum, flourine, arsenic and oxygen. Amblygonite is trichinic and composed of lithium, aluminum, flourine, phosphorus and oxygen. Amblygonite (montebrasite,) has a resinous or vitrous luster (much of the Pala variety resembles albite—a sodium feldspar—in appearance, and is a somewhat recent discovery.) In color it is white, gray, light green, yellowish green and yellow-brown, the last named color being caused by iron impurities. In hardness 5.5. Structure, massive. Cleavage, almost perfect. Fracture, compact and granular. Density, 3.1, when pure. Heated in a closed tube, yields water. If the heat be carried to a high temperature, hydrofluoric acid gas forms, which is proven by the tube (glass) becoming etched. It fuses B.B. easily and when the bead is cold it is white and opaque. The flame B.B. and from a chip of the mineral is red-yellow, caused by its lithium contents. With cobalt solution (and in absence of iron) the bead assumes a deep blue clor (aluminum reaction.) The mineral dissolves in concentrated sulphuric acid and very slowly in hydrochloric acid.

(2.) It will average 47 per cent. phosphorous pentoxide. Aluminum oxide, 30; lithium, 8; Sodium, 3; flourine, 10, with traces of calcium, magnesium, silicon dioxide, potassia and iron as stated. (See 1.)

(3.) For a field test. Powder a little of the mineral, place it on a piece of broken porcelain, glass or saucer, drop thereon a little nitric acid. When effervescence almost ceases pour a little ammonium molybdate solution into the mixture. If a canary yellow powder separates out (encircling the mixture) it is, probably, ammonium phospho-molybdate, which dissolves in ammonia water or sodium hydroxide solution. It cannot be produced in an alkaline solution. It is well, however, to remember that if the nitric acid solution, with reagent named, is heated, then, under certain conditions, the canary yellow product would be one of arsenicum, and "Marsh's test" would have to be resorted to. A quantitative process will be found in works on chemistry, that of "Bladding's" given to the "American Chemical Society," some years ago, or the "Pemberton method," will give the utmost satisfaction.

Miner's Inch.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 16.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I am told that California has a law, by which a miner's inch is regulated. If not too much trouble to hunt the matter up, will you kindly give me information? And greatly oblige, J. R.

ANSWER: It is "the amount of water which will flow through an opening an inch square under a head of four inches; this is equivalent to one and a half cubic feet a minute."

Josephinite.

UNION (Or.) Feb. 7.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Herein please find an ore of nickel. The party from whom I obtained it does not know where it belongs in mineralogy. I know that if The Times cannot name it, it must be "a new one." Yours truly, G. C. T.

ANSWER: Often it requires a great deal of labor to place minerals. You do not ask to have it named, nevertheless it is Josephinite. "Mineral Resources of the United States, 1903," shows that, up to the present time, the mineral is found in Oregon only, in the neighborhood of Grant's Pass and Kerby, associated with platinum and iridosmium. It is a native nickel-iron alloy, described as follows: "Josephinite is found in the form of massive granular ellipsoidal pebbles, which consist of 13.8 per cent. silicates, mainly serpentine, and 23.2 per cent. iron and 30.45 per cent. nickel (note, other matter not determined by authority quoted.) The specific gravity of these pebbles is 6.294. The metallic portion of the pebbles is malleable and sectile, with a hardness of 5, with a metallic luster and gray color. It is also magnetic, and the composition is two of iron to five of nickel. It is presumed that these pebbles come from an eruptive dike in the vicinity of the placer gravels, near which also exist deposits of nickel silicate."

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Graphite.

CAMP RINCON, Feb. 7.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I have a small vein of the sample I send you. Please reply in The Times whether or not it is molybdenite? Yours truly, J. S.

ANSWER: The sample is a low grade graphite (plumbago.)

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Postoffice Hours Today.

This being Washington's birthday the postoffice will be closed after 12 o'clock, noon. Carriers will make the usual forenoon deliveries.

Pluck Ostriches Today.

An event much fancied by tourists—the plucking of ostriches at the South Pasadena ostrich farm—is scheduled for today. Several of the largest birds will lose their fine plumes before sundown.

First Man Shot.

The funeral of Orin L. Phillips, an old soldier, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the mortuary chapel of Peck & Chase. The deceased was sergeant of Co. G, Twentieth Wisconsin Infantry, and was wounded in the battle of Pea Ridge.

D.A.R. Excursion.

About seventy members of the local branch of the Daughters of the Revolution will leave on the Santa Fé at 8:30 o'clock this morning to celebrate Washington's Birthday at the Glenwood Tavern, Riverside.

Eagles to Soar.

One hundred and forty members of Los Angeles and other Southern California aeries of the Eagles will go to San Bernardino on a special Santa Fé train leaving here at 7 o'clock Friday evening next to attend initiation ceremonies in that city. They will return the same night.

Car Struck Him.

John Davis, assistant storekeeper of the River Station supply depot of the Southern Pacific, was struck by a Los Angeles Railway Company car at Buena Vista and Ward streets last night and severely injured. He was unconscious when picked up, and at the Receiving Hospital it was found that both his legs were severely wrenched and lacerated.

Will Baptize a Score.

Next Sunday evening at the Bethel Baptist Church, corner of East Twenty-fifth street and Central avenue, Rev. R. E. Henck, the pastor, will preach on the ordinance of baptism, and at its conclusion will baptize twenty persons by immersion. Several of these candidates are recruits from the union evangelistic meetings just closed.

Trains Still Late.

Trains from the East via the Santa Fé and Southern Pacific continue to arrive behind time owing to snow and other storms that have delayed traffic at points on the roads beyond the termini of the local divisions. Schedules were sadly disarranged yesterday and reports received at the local offices last evening indicate that today's trains will be several hours late.

Death of Mrs. Wilde.

Mrs. Lura Wilde, wife of Charles L. Wilde, chief deputy in the office of the City Clerk, died yesterday morning after a somewhat protracted illness of cancer of the stomach. The funeral will be held at the Park Congregational Church, Temple and Metcalf streets, at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Wilde leaves a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Davis, and two sons, who resided with Mr. and Mrs. Wilde at their home, No. 334 Brant street.

Henry Rorby Angelo.

Henry Rorby Angelo, who was lugged out of the home of Millionaire Ward in New York in handcuffs, owing to his effort to get in communication with his wife, Ward's sister, is little known in Los Angeles. He has a residence at No. 2143 Harvard boulevard, and an office at No. 707 Braly building, headquarters of his contracting business. At his office yesterday nothing was known as to his present whereabouts or as to his home-coming.

Patriotic Social.

A parlor social in observance of Washington's Birthday will be held from 2 to 5 o'clock this afternoon at Temperance Temple, Temple street and Broadway, under the direction of Mrs. M. T. Boyd, W.C.T.U. State superintendent for Soldiers and Sailors. There will be a programme of readings and music, among those taking part being: Mrs. Ruth Sanderson and daughter of Boston, Mrs. Mary A. Adams of Leicester, Mass., and Miss Stella Callender of this city.

"Congress" Met Last Night.

The Y.M.C.A. "Congress," an organization of the youths of this institution, had a session last night at the Y.M.C.A. Hall on South Hill street. Fred E. Leeper of Denver gave a lecture on Napoleon, and this was followed by the conducting of the nation's business. Albert R. Welch, "the Senator from Indiana," presented a bill to appropriate $1,000,000 for the establishment of six hospitals for the indigent. This bill will be discussed at the session next Tuesday evening.

Patriotic Matinee.

A patriotic matinée will be given by the Burbank Stock Company this afternoon. "Paul Revere," a play that is drawing packed houses will be the bill and the curtain will rise promptly at 2:15. William Desmond, who plays the name part in the piece and who has been suffering from a sprained ankle, the result of a jump from the tower of the "Old North Church," has completely recovered the use of his foot and his Paul Revere will prove a delight to the little ones in the audience this afternoon.

"Burning Bush" Is Aflame.

Residents in the vicinity of Twenty-eighth street and Central avenue have been stirred up the past few nights by the noisy demonstrations of the "Burning Bush" sect in meetings at cottages in that neighborhood. Several residences have been taken by these religious enthusiasts in that quarter, and this has become evident to the neighbors who have been kept awake by their peculiar "worship." The "Burning Bush" people have also secured the hall at Washington street and Central avenue for their meetings.

Silver Medal Contest.

A silver medal contest under the auspices of the Los Angeles W.C.T.U. was given at the Soldiers' Home yesterday afternoon by members of the Loyal Temperance Legion of the Orphan Home at Yale and Alpine streets, under the direction of its superintendent, Mrs. Celia Noll. The medal was won by Miss Mabel Goodwin. There were six contestants. Miss Frances Mullohan, a professional reader, also gave several selections. Memorial Hall was filled with the old soldiers, and the audience greatly enjoyed the efforts of the contestants.

Skylark's Tragedy.

An English skylark on the crowded corner of First and Spring streets created a mild sensation yesterday afternoon. The bird had escaped from a store on First street, and after making a few feeble attempts to soar beyond the frowning sides of the big buildings fluttered into the center of the street, where the combined efforts of a policeman, a switchman and several pedestrians failed to effect its capture. The pretty skylark would flutter just out of reach and then alight on the pavement. The feathered songster had just eluded the big policeman's effort to capture it with his helmet, and had daintily flown to the middle of the car tracks, when a wheelman, flying past, crushed its little life out, and the excitement was over.

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BREVITIES.

The advertisement of the Cashier Copper Mining Company in last Sunday's Times should have read (in last paragraph of advertisement) "Cash or Installment Plan" instead of "Cash or Investment Plan." William A. Eckerly, secretary, room 204 Frost building, Second and Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

The ladies' rest room on the top floor of the new wing of The Times' Building, is open daily from 9 to 5. Ladies from town or country will find this a convenient place to write, rest or read. Stationery provided for correspondence. Both phones available. Take elevator in business office. All are welcome.

The Japanese day fireworks display at Long Beach today has been specially imported for this occasion by the Los Angeles Fireworks Company. Signal gun announcing commencement promptly at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. M. H. Eaton of New York City will be at 642 S. Alvarado st. until Saturday, Feb. 25, with a choice collection of English, Norwich, crested canaries and German rollers. Home 'phone 7718.

Rehearsals for the Innes May Festival Chorus take place every Tuesday evening at 7:45 at Birkel's Hall, 345 S. Spring street. Applications of singers will be received there.

Marshall Darrach, dramatic recital of "Merchant of Venice" tomorrow night in Dobinson Auditorium. Last recital of the course. Admission, 50c.

Big Sale—A carload of Jewel gas ranges at half-price, from $8 to $15, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Fitzmier. 651 South Olive.

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Tourists' headquarters Hotel Rosslyn, 253 South Main street; 21 meals $5. Hart Bros., props.

Dr. Wilder, dentist, leaves for Lower California March 8. Retrns March 26.

Watch Pasadena column for Spanish dances. Matinée February 22.

Lecture by Fred E. Leeper tonight at Y.M.C.A.; subject, "Napoleon."

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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Fritz Guenther, C. H. Fletcher, Ida Hudsen, Mrs. W. E. McCrary, Miss Emma Courtney, E. P. Charlton, A. Kempton, Gus L. Clark, Mable Silvery, J. Kelly, Pendergast & Clarkson, Dr. G. W. Harris, H. L. Mahan.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John R. McAulay, aged 29, a native of Canada, and Mary McLean, aged 30, a native of Canada; both residents of Los Angeles.

Chaille T. Talbot, aged 23, a native of Tennessee, and Myrtle M. Mort, aged 20, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

George W. Tedford, aged 32, a native of California, and Bessie F. Whiteley, aged 16, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Hugh H. Strain, aged 24, native of Belfast, Ireland, and Katharine E. Koehler, aged 24, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Merritt R. Downhour, aged 22, a native of Minnesota, and Grace Lauricke, aged 18, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Adolph H. Scott, aged 30, a native of California, and resident of Avalon, and Amelia D. Nell, aged 28, a native of Colorado, and resident of Denver.

Roy Watson, aged 21, a native of Kansas, and Lizzie Fielding, aged 19, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edward B. Olivero, aged 42, a native of California, and Jennie Bravo, aged 25, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

John Caldwell, aged 31, a native of Ohio, and Olivia Flanders, aged 31, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Stanley M. Frew, aged 22, a native of California; and Helen M. Foster, aged 23, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

Thomas C. Long, aged 49, a native of New York, and resident of Hillsboro, and Helen Conniff, aged 44, a native of New York, and resident of Los Angeles.

John C. Netz, aged 26, a native of Canada, and Elizabeth Evens, aged 21, a native of Canada; both residents of Los Angeles.

Truman C. Armstrong, aged 21, a native of Utah, and Audessie Canady, aged 16, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Arthur V. Reyes, aged 23, a native of California, and Susie Eichenaur, aged 24, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Frank A. Kelley, aged 27, a native of Wyoming, and Della Lyons, aged 22, a native of Michigan; both residents of Los Angeles.

Homer A. Harrison, aged 30, a native of Tennessee, and Harriett Moore, aged 28, a native of Louisiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

George F. R. Barnett, aged 24, a native of England, and Clara Smith, aged 18, a native of Tennessee; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles E. Rothaermel, aged 23, a native of Missouri, and resident of Santa Monica, and Mary E. Stanfield, aged 20, a native of Kansas, and resident of Whittier.

BIRTH RECORD.

MORRISON—February 16, to the wife of Edwin D. Morrison, at Ocean Park, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

KEPPEL—Halbert Keppel, a native of Holland, in the fiftieth year of his residence in California, and in the 75th year of his age. Died February 21, 1905, at 4 p.m., at his late home, No. 1055 Byram street. Interment in Live Oak Cemetery, Gridley, Butte county, Cal., Saturday next.

BOARDMAN—In this city, February 20, 1905, Mary E. Boardman of Payson, Ariz., aged 43 years. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Orr & Hines Co., No. 647 South Broadway, this (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock.

SEVIER—At the residence of his nephew, A. L. Elliott, No. 916 Elwood street, February 21, 1905, William B. Sevier, aged 72 years. The funeral services will be held at the parlors of Bresee Brothers Company, Sixth and Broadway, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock. Interment Arroyo Grande, Cal.

WILDE—Mrs. Laura E. Wilde, aged 42 years, Tuesday, February 21st, 1905, at 5:30 a.m., beloved wife of Charles L. Wilde, and mother of Ford and Ben Wilde, and Mrs. Ralph E. Davis. Funeral from the Park Congregational Church, Temple street, corner of Metcalf street, Thursday, February 23rd, at 2 o'clock, p.m. Interment Evergreen; friends invited.

RAYMOND—J. W. Raymond, formerly of Minneapolis, at his home in Pasadena. Funeral at the residence, Thursday, 2:30 p.m. Friends of the family invited.

Card of Thanks.

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Folding beds, solid golden oak, regular $35.00; now $28.00
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LOYAL LITTLE HONOR W...

WASHINGTON'S birthday was celebrated in all the public schools in the city yesterday afternoon. From the tiniest dimpled mite of a kindergartner up to the most dignified "A 1," every child had his or her part in the patriotic exercises, the story of the Father of Our Country being sung and told, and his achievements from childhood to old age commemorated in verse and in composition, lisped by baby lips and illustrated by the handiwork of all grades. The walls of the school buildings spoke eloquently of the favorite incidents in the life of the nation's first hero, and were decorated with drawings of cherry trees, of hatchets, of quaint colonial boys, of colts such as Washington rode to death and of old schoolhouses such as he attended. Bright-colored flags flamed in every possible corner; there were martial music and brave salutes, pictures, mottoes, and acrostics of him whom the children quoted in the favorite old phrase as: "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

At the new Hoover-street school the little kindergartners covered themselves with glory. A grand procession was formed of small soldiers in tricolored caps, and the shield of the country covering their loyal breasts. Arms which had been brought from home, drums which beat in tune to the national airs, and flags and hatchets made of paper were the accouterments that they carried. They marched through the rooms of the building, and in one of the rooms they paused and sang "The Soldier Boy" for the admiring older pupils.

The primary grades in the same school made illustrated stories of the life of Washington. The cherry trees were cut out and pasted upon a blackboard, and the hatchet was near by to tell the tale, while busy fingers in another room were making boats and drawing them in pictures of Washington crossing the Delaware. Higher grades were busy with the manufacture of hatchets, which they wore proudly pinned upon gowns and coats, the hatchets being adorned with sayings of Washington and various patriotic utterances.

Pentous school had flag drills in several rooms, anecdotes of Washington were told, and one especial work of art was the boyish episode of Washington and the colt, pictured on the blackboard. Here was a field with the colt browsing; there were the small boys clad in astonishing fashion in the uniforms of continental soldiers. The kindergarten children drew hatchet and made three-cornered caps for the gay cockades, while in one of the highest grades an amusing acrostic was composed, the initial letter of every line remark being a letter of Washington's name. "We honor Washington because he was wise." "We honor Washington because he was a patriot." "We honor Washington because he was sensible," and so on. The little people in this school wrote

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Little patriots who said and wrote bright things about the Father of His Country in the city schools yesterday.

OYAL LITTLE FOLK HONOR WASHINGTON.

...INGTON'S birthday was ...ated in all the public ...s in the city yesterday. ... From the tiniest dimpled ...gartner up to the most ... every child had his or ... patriotic exercises, the ... Father of Our Country ... told, and his achieve- ... childhood to old age com- ... in verse and in composi- ... by baby lips and illus- ... by the handiwork of all grades. ... of the school buildings ... ently of the favorite inci- ... in the life of the nation's first ... were decorated with draw- ... of cherry trees, of hatchets, of ... colonial boys, of colts such as ... rode to death and of ... schoolhouses such as he attend- ... bright-colored flags flamed in ... possible corner; there were mar- ... and brave salutes, pictures, ... and acrostics of him whom ... quoted in the favorite old ... as: "First in war, first in peace, ... in the hearts of his country- ...

... the new Hoover-street school the ... kindergartners covered them- ... with glory. A grand procession ... of small soldiers in tri- ... caps, and the shield of the ... covering their loyal breasts. ... had been brought from ... which beat in tune to ... airs, and flags and hatch- ... made of paper were the accouter- ... that they carried. They marched ... through the rooms of the building, ... one of the rooms they paused ... older pupils.

... primary grades in the same ... made illustrated stories of the ... Washington. The cherry trees ... cut out and pasted upon a black- ... and the hatchet was near by to ... the tale, while busy fingers in an- ... room were making boats and ... them in pictures of Washington ... the Delaware. Higher grades ... busy with the manufacture of ... which they wore proudly ... upon gowns and coats, the ... being adorned with sayings ... Washington and various patri- ... mementoes.

... school had flag drills in sev- ... rooms, anecdotes of Washington ... told, and one especial work of ... was the boyish episode of ... ton and the colt, pictured ... the blackboard. Here was a field ... colt browsing; there were the ... boys clad in astonishing fash- ... the uniforms of continental sol- ... The kindergarten children drew ... and made three-cornered caps ... cockades, while in one of the ... grades an amusing acrostic ... composed, the initial letter of ev- ... remark being a letter of ... name. "We honor Wash- ... because he was wise." "We ... Washington because he was af- ... "We honor Washington ... he was sensible," and so on. ... people in this school wrote compositions about the great national hero. Here is one penned yesterday and read by a young American of 7 years:

A COMPOSITION.

"A little boy was born in 1732. He lived on a hill in a farmhouse near a river.

"He was full of fun, and would always tell the truth. He could ride a horse when he was 9 years old. He went to school in a log schoolhouse. He thought that work came before play. This boy was George Washington."

At the Grand-avenue school yesterday afternoon, there were programmes in all the rooms, even in the one where the little deaf mutes were happily learning and writing the story of patriotism. Tales of Washington's boyhood were told in the first-grade room, and illustrated by the children. Washington's picture was proudly decorated by the second grade. They surrounded him with smilax and red and white roses, and flags were disposed about the room. The children sang many patriotic songs.

"Washington and His Hatchet," "The Birthday of Washington," "Life of George Washington," "Washington Acrostic," "The Last Hours of Washington," and "Personal Appearance of Washington," were subjects in the sixth grade, and in another room the "Flag Song" was followed by an account of Mount Vernon, and the tomb of Washington with relics displayed by a teacher, who had recently visited those scenes.

The Grand-avenue orchestra, composed of fourteen members, gave a lively touch to the observance. They played a jolly medley of national airs, with "Star Spangled Banner," "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," "Yankee Doodle," "Marching Through Georgia" and others commingled, while the benign face of Washington looked down from above in the hall where it had been decorated and given a place of honor.

Norwood-street school had an informal celebration which was quite delightful. The second-grade room had a flag drill and the children drew the flags of all nations, this being followed by a story hour, each child telling some fact about Washington. The fifth grade had compositions and stories. The A 6's were the guests of the seventh grade who gave a pleasing programme of songs and recitations.

At the Sixteenth-street school a fine picture of the Father of the Country hung in the hall. It was surmounted by a wreath of red and white flowers tied with blue ribbons and framed with the green tracery of smilax. A fine musical and literary programme was rendered. The children painted "Old Glory" and drew hatchets upon pasteboards. They cut and folded all manner of objects connected with the life and doings of Washington, which is a sure stimulus to memory for these small people. Best of all, they sang "Mount Vernon Bells," and other sweet songs of the kind.

The Seventeenth-street school had a delightful celebration, and Berendo-street school followed in the procession with a fine recitation, "Hats Off to the Flag," and six little tots gave a pretty affair called "In Honor of Washington." All the schools were eager and happy in their observances, and George Washington himself, if he had beheld these thousands of children in the year 1905, doing such honor to his memory, would surely conclude that in his case there is no necessity of repeating "Lest We Forget."

HO FOR PANAMA!

Government Offers Jobs on the Big Canal to Los Angeles Men.

A businesslike echo of Uncle Sam's determination to "get busy" with the Panama Canal project drifted into town yesterday in the form of civil-service bids for skilled workmen "to proceed at once to the Isthmus." The announcement is that civil-service examinations will be held in Washington (by mail) March 15 to select three or more foremen of diamond-drill boring parties, at $150 a month; three or more foremen of wash boring parties, at $125 a month; six or more boring party helpers, at $75 a month; steam-shovel engineers, at $190 a month, with additional bonus for extra-quality work; steam-shovel crane men, at $165 a month, with additional bonus; steam-shovel firemen, at $75 a month, and steam-shovel head pitmen, at $75 a month. Full information may be had of the civil-service secretary of the Los Angeles postoffice.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Hamburger's Buyers Association Holds Banquet at Levy's—Twenty-two Present.

The members of the local buying organization of A. Hamburger & Sons were banqueted at Levy's last night by M. A. Hamburger; the occasion being the third anniversary of the association. Twenty-two department managers were present and an elaborate banquet served in a finely-decorated parlor; and the feast was interspersed by songs and speeches.

TODAY'S SPORTS.

Driving matinée, Agricultural Park, 1:30 p.m.

Santa Anita Handicap, and other races Ascot Park, 1:40 p.m.

Field meet, Occidental, U.S.C., at Methodist Field, 2:30 p.m.

Amateur baseball, City League, Prager Park, 2:30 p.m.

Golf, men's amateur championships, Country Club, all day.

Lacrosse, Shamrocks vs. Los Angeles High School, Fiesta Park, 2:30 p.m.

All-day tennis at Central Courts, Lincoln Park.

Polo at Riverside for Mackey Cup.

Automobile races at Coronado for Spreckels Cup.

Driving matinée at San Bernardino.

Bicycle road race at Covina.

SOCIETY BOMB IN CHESTER PLACE.

ANONYMOUS LETTER-WRITER IS SMASHING THINGS.

Sending Notes Attacking the Character of a Popular Belle and Telling Matrons of Elegant Mansions That They are Shoddy—Detectives Put on the Case.

The poor silly girl who has been writing "catty" anonymous letters to women of the social four hundred of this city, made a fatal blunder yesterday afternoon. It is almost certain to lead to her exposure. Detectives are at work on the case.

By one of those twists of Fate, a society woman of Chester Place, who has been among the pestered, now has the "letter-writer" almost at her mercy.

Until yesterday, the anonymous-letter fiend has always used a typewriter which tells no tales and gives no clew to the handwriting expert.

But alas, yesterday, the criminal grew careless and wrote one of her screeds in her own hand; she tried to disguise her writing by turning it to a backhand; it was about as much of a disguise as it would be to change a belt buckle.

The letter was sent to this society woman in Chester Place. She had previously received some of the typewritten vintage; this one, with certain telltale familiarities in the penmanship, opened her eyes.

"That girl was at my own house this afternoon," said the lady last night. "I am sure of it. I entertained some guests and she was among the number. I intend to expose her. I am going to send this letter to the best handwriting expert I can find. I have employed detectives. I have more respect for a burglar than for one who stabs in the dark this way.

"This letter reflects against a girl in whom I believe from the bottom of my heart; nothing like this could make me turn against her.

"Many society women of my acquaintance have been receiving these contemptible letters and it is time the writer was stopped."

The letter read as follows:

"LOS ANGELES, California.

Mrs. ——

Dear Friend:

I tried several times to tell you something which I am sure in your position in life you would be glad to know. You had a certain young lady at some of your social functions whom is absolutely known to have a married man in your neighborhood spend afternoons alone with her for hours and also solemn twilight hours while his poor little wife knows nothing of the wolf of society in lamb's clothing. Although it is within sight of her own home. I am a married woman myself.

Your friend, INCOGNITA.

There are certain characteristics in the writing which make the writer an easy mark for an expert. There is a queer peculiarity about the lower-case "ts" and about the "ws" which stick out like sore thumbs in spite of the effort to reverse the natural slant.

That guilty girl may well occupy her spare time in earnest prayer that none of her society notes have been saved in that house. If she has ever accepted or declined an invitation and was profuse in "ts" or "ws" in the course thereof, it is all up with her.

The story behind the writing of the letters is said to be the old story of "Where love is game for three," the girl who writes being the third. There is a fascinating man in the case.

According to the whisperings of society, the feeling of the jilted girl is so bitter that the vitriol of her wrath is poured on everyone who dares to entertain her rival.

Numbers of the society women have had letters after entertaining this girl and before, warning them to drop her.

All these letters are funny. The burden of their song is that of the old coon song, "Oh, I don't know; you ain't so warm."

One woman has been reminded in letters that she has no occasion for being proud of her old entertainments, as she hasn't had money long enough to rub off any of the milling. Another is recalled with a rough jolt to the days when she was a shop girl. One is denounced as being "loud" and wearing gowns that don't fit.

These have all been written by typewriter. They are foolish, spiteful petty rant; it is the kind of hammering one hears between dances on the stairs—and it does not look well in black and white.

Most of the women have burned the letters. In this Chester Place matron, the letter-writer tampered with a catapult. She states her opinion that the girl ought to be publicly exposed and disgraced; that she is not a candidate for mercy after the cruel and malicious reports she has spread about her rival.

Oh, happy gentleman, to be honored by all this sweet strife!

The letter in handwriting will be sent to Daniel T. Ames, the great handwriting expert of San Francisco.

HOBO INVASION.

Swarm Over Trains at Central Avenue Station to the Distress of Crews and Agent.

Agent Jones at the Central-avenue station of the Santa Fé and the train crews on the local beach service have led lives of misery the past week, owing to an invasion of bums, hobos and hangers-on from the Ascot Park race track.

Ever since the opening of the race season the creatures have been dropping in, until the vicinity of the Central-avenue station has become a sort of rendezvous for them. Just to keep their hand in, it seems, these fellows have been in the habit of swarming over the trains, hanging onto the sides of freight cars, perching up on the bumpers, or stowing themselves between cars, and riding backward and forward between the station and Ascot Park's western line, where the train is compelled to stop frequently to place cars for the sewer-pipe works.

The insolence of these hobos became unbearable, and as they paid no attention to either the train crews or the warning of the station agent, the police were called to their aid. A chase of the fellows was made yesterday, but they scampered over the city limits and took to county territory.

NEARLY LOST LIFE IN FORDING RIVER.

STRUGGLING in the raging waters of the Los Angeles River and in danger of being drowned was the unique and exciting experience of J. Edward Leach of No. 2203 East Fourth street, who returned yesterday from a journey to the head of the Little Tejunga Cañon.

Crossing the Little Tejunga Creek, a tributary of the Los Angeles River, Leach met with the adventure that almost cost him his life.

Swollen by the recent rains, the mountain streams have become torrents filled with uprooted trunks of trees which has made the journey up into the cañon a dangerous undertaking.

Accustomed to travel in fair or foul weather, young Leach a few days ago started, with a horse and light rig, to visit a friend who lives far up the North Fork. Night came down before the journey was completed and when within about five miles of his destination the weary traveler essayed to ford the last stream, which is usually only a few feet in depth.

Urging his horse into the waters, Leach undertook to cross, but before he had fairly driven into the swollen creek he realized what a mistake he had made.

Lifting the rig in its grasp, the waters tore horse and wagon apart and sent both flying downstream. To save his life the traveler jumped into the icy waters, and after a fearful struggle was swept down the stream and landed bruised and buttered, on the other side.

The wagon was caught in the branches of an overhanging oak, but the half-drowned horse was swept far down the current and scrambled ashore where the waters began to run in shallows permitting the animal to regain his feet.

The greater part of the night was spent in an attempt to repair the damage, but it was not until the following day that the buggy was pulled out of the creek.

Leach is a thorough mountaineer, but he declares his experience during this last trip was his most dangerous undertaking.

During his journey he visited families who have been kept storm-bound for the past three weeks because of the swollen condition of the streams.

Old settlers described the present condition of the mountain creeks as the most dangerous in recent years. Streams which have usually increased in volume to a depth of four feet during the rainy season, have an average depth of from eight to ten feet.

SALT LAKE TRAVELERS.

Vice-President Gibbon and Party of Friends from Utah Metropolis Arrive Over New Line.

T. E. Gibbon, third vice-president and general counsel of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad Company, arrived in Los Angeles early this morning from Salt Lake City, accompanied by several prominent citizens of that place. The party has traveled leisurely in a special car over the new Salt Lake line, having left the City of the Saints on Saturday evening.

In the party with Mr. Gibbon are C. O. Whittemore, general attorney for the Salt Lake line for Utah and Nevada; Fisher S. Harris, secretary and manager of the Salt Lake Commercial Club, and L. H. Farnsworth, member of the board of governors of the same organization. It had been expected that former Governor Wells of Utah, president of the Commercial Club, would be in the party, but he was prevented at the last moment from joining it.

Mr. Whittemore was one of the promoters of the new line connecting Salt Lake City and Los Angeles and is booked for an address at the Washington's birthday banquet of the Chamber of Commerce tonight. He will respond to the toast, "Salt Lake and the City by the Sea."

The purpose of the visit of Messrs. Harris and Farnsworth is to meet leading men of Los Angeles and to agree with them upon a line of policy or a programme with reference to the celebration of the completion of the new Salt Lake road.

While Mr. Whittemore is down for a set speech at tonight's banquet, it is not unlikely that Mr. Harris, who is versatile and eloquent, will be called upon to make some impromptu remarks or an address.

GATES IN OIL MERGER?

Report That He Has Joined His Texas Interests With the Standard Concern.

A dispatch last night from Austin, Tex., indicates that John W. Gates, now in Los Angeles on a pleasure trip, has joined his Texas oil interests with a Standard Oil concern in that State and that the two are working toward a merger.

At the hearing on the oil-pipe-line bill before the legislative committee at the Texas capital yesterday it developed that the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company and the Texas Company, of which Mr. Gates is at the head, are to be merged into one concern, provided they secure passage of a law designating common carriers of the pipe lines.

These two companies practically control the Texas oil fields, the Guffey company being looked upon as a Standard Oil concern.

When asked about the rumored merger by a Times reporter last evening at the Van Nuys Hotel, Mr. Gates declined to discuss the matter.

Another row of happy children who took part in Washington's Birthday exercises in Los Angeles schools

PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Police Commission yesterday revoked a license in Sonoratown, making room for the new Hotel Lankershim, this being the result of Lessee Cooper's buck against the license trust.

The fight over the incorporation of Altadena was on in earnest yesterday before the Supervisors, and will be finally determined at the next meeting.

Rogeros, alias Mistiera, charged with murdering his compadre, Crescello, was found guilty of manslaughter yesterday by the jury in Judge Smith's court, after being out just half an hour.

The singular discovery was made in the Police Court yesterday that there is no city ordinance prohibiting street gambling. Crap-shooting newsboys were discharged, and a law will have to be framed.

AT THE CITY HALL.

POLICE BOARD'S TRYING DAY.

SALOON LICENSE FOUND FOR BIGGEST HOTEL.

Commission Refuses to Transfer a License to South Spring Street on the Ground That There are Sufficient Saloons There Now—Five Specials for Police Force.

The new Lankershim Hotel will have its license to sell intoxicants without paying tribute to a brewer's license-trust. The breach was safely passed at the meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday.

Capt. Auble of the police force was present with two detectives, all of whom had purchased drinks on last Sunday at the saloon of one J. Adams, No. 1543 San Fernando street. Capt. Auble gave his evidence with much circumstantiality, in order to remove any possible doubt from the minds of the commission.

He said they went into the place and stood before the bar and drank the beer they had purchased. The place was dimly lighted, the windows being covered as if shut up tight for a Sunday holiday, and when Detective Boyd wanted to turn the light on he was warned with great caution not to do so as it might be seen from the outside. Other things were also done and said to clinch the theory that Adams knew he was violating the law, and that he made every effort to conceal it.

Commissioner Johnson at once moved that the license be revoked, and Mr. Mason as promptly seconded the motion. Mr. James suggested that the American plan of procedure was to give a man a chance to clear his skirts before pronouncing him guilty, and while he had the utmost confidence in the testimony of the officers, still he would like to give the man a chance to be heard, and he finally made a motion that it go over for one week and that Adams should be given a chance to show cause why his license should not be revoked.

Meantime a careful search was made of the list of license holders to find the name of J. Adams, but it was not there. Then it was suggested that the owner of the place was a man named Quilicci, but that name could not be found, and it was decided that this saloon was hidden in the long list of licenses that are held in the names of the different breweries.

It made little difference, however, for it had been decided to revoke the license, and it was immaterial whose name was attached to it. A vote was taken on James's substitute, and it was declared lost, only James and Gates voting for it. Then a vote was taken on the motion to revoke and all the commissioners voted "aye."

All that is necessary now to give a saloon license to Edwin R. Cooper, lessee of the Hotel Lankershim, who several weeks ago filed his application, is to take it from the files, refer it to the Chief of Police and grant it upon his favorable report. By dint of his having bucked against paying a tribute of $6000 to the so-called "license trust," Mr. Cooper has saved his cash, done a good turn to others who may follow him, and has caused the adoption of a rule by the commission that will finally end the existence of the trust. It has been impossible for a hotel to secure a license without buying it from the trust and agreeing to sell a certain brand of beer. At the time of the opening of the Hotel Angelus, several years ago, the lessee is said to have paid $10,000 for his license.

W. A. Davis, who has been engaged in fitting up a saloon at No. 318 South Spring street, asked for the transfer to himself of a license now in operation at No. 1415 San Fernando street. He succeeded in securing the transfer, but in spite of his plea that he would be ruined if he were not permitted to change the location, the commission refused to grant that privilege. The members of the commission thought there were enough saloons in that part of the city.

When the license matters had been disposed of Chief Hammel was authorized to have printed the resolution of the board declaring against the system of handling licenses through transfers, practically at the dictation of the brewers, and also calling for the exclusion of women and girls from saloons. A copy will be sent to each saloon, and after March 1 the lines will be drawn tight.

Seeming determined to secure a liquor license of some sort at Ninth and Mateo streets, F. Adli has had an application before the board for a wholesale license at that point, though after a long contest the same was defeated before the old board. It was knocked out again yesterday, voluminous protests having been presented against it.

The following new applications were referred to Chief Hammel for investigation and report: Application of the Estruccio-Amestoy Company for a wholesale license at No. 225 North Spring street; Thomas J. Dermody, saloon, No. 417 South Spring street; Christopher Cicotta, saloon, No. 343 East First street.

OTHER MATTERS.

A. M. Nitt, who carged Officers Story and Peters with insulting women and asked that they be disciplined, appeared yesterday and attempted to withdraw the charges, saying that he thought that they had been sufficiently punished. Chief Hammel would not hear to it, and said he wanted the matter sifted. It will be done next Tuesday.

In the case of Officer Varey, who was charged with the same kind of offense, by Mrs. Mary Fisher, he was ordered to be censured by the Chief of Police, and the case was then declared dismissed.

Owners of sundry wood and muslin shacks within the fire-limits if used for restaurants or other legitimate business purposes will have until May 1 to move, but palmists and other fakers will have to move on March 1. The change was made by the Police Commissioners in response to the petitions of a great number of the legitimate dealers.

The Foster signal alarm system once more came into the light yesterday through petitions from the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the Westlake Good Government Club and the Municipal League, asking that it be adopted. The Police Commission will investigate for themselves and formulate a recommendation to the City Council.

The following special policemen were appointed on recommendation of Chief Hammel: J. Roy Wimp, Robert J. Kuhn, Horace W. Bratton, L. G. Kerr, Walter Bowman.

Chief Hammel made application for an automobile for use of the police department in answering urgent calls. It received the indorsement of the commission and was sent to the Council for consideration at their hands.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

CEMETERY MAN AND HIS FOES.

BOTH SIDES SHOW HANDS IN ALTADENA'S CONTEST.

Giddings Says If He is Not Left Alone He'll Ask for Permission to Play in Pasadena's Back Yard, and Adds That the Popular Vote Will Be Behind Him.

The wish of the residents of Altadena to have their mountain resort incorporated as a city of the sixth class remains merely a desire; but the fight against the cemetery project has become so acute that Altadena is not going to remain as it is—so much has been determined.

Giddings, the cemetery man, is keeping tab and if Altadena fails to incorporate, a fight is likely to take place over Altadena being admitted to Pasadena.

All the parties lined up before the Supervisors yesterday to thresh the matter out. J. Perry Wood, the attorney, presented the facts and figures for the Altadena people desiring incorporation, while Fred Hummel and Mr. Giddings represented the two batches of protestants. Hummel stated to the board that the signers of the first protest against being included in the incorporation scheme reside in the district west of Lincoln avenue to the Arroyo, and from the Pasadena city limits on the south to the government reservation. All this land is in acreage, and while the population is sixty, the voters number only twenty-three, and the voters who are also property owners, twenty. Out of the total of 442 acres included in the district the protestants represent 104 acres.

Lincoln avenue being a natural dividing line north and south, the petitioners stated that they were not averse to leaving this acreage out, although they would prefer that it be included. But they did object strenuously against the second protest receiving any concession from the board. It appeared that the second protest was gotten up by Giddings, and practically sought to have excluded from the proposed incorporation boundaries the old Mountain View Cemetery, and to the east, that land on the other side of the car line known as the new cemetery—to prevent the opening of which is one of the aims of the Altadena people.

This triangular strip of territory lies between Lincoln avenue on the west, extending clear through to Marengo avenue on the east, the northern boundary being Ventura street and a line parallel with the cemetery, and the southern, the city limits of Pasadena.

The Giddings petition contains thirty signers; but when they were polled it was discovered that only thirteen of the signers are voters, only fourteen residents, and the remainder are non-residents. Of the signers that are voters, seven only own property. Judged on the basis of acreage, ten acres voted in support of the petition out of a total of 490 acres in the district supposed to be protesting.

The petitioners had represented that there are 700 residents within the proposed boundaries of Altadena, and after the discussion had continued for some time they claimed that without the acreage bordering the Arroyo they could still make a town, but without the Giddings tract the new municipality would be handicapped. The exempted strip would lie a three-cornered "nowhere" between two municipalities. Giddings was about to answer, but Chairman Longden choked him off by remarking that without even asking the sense of the board he was certain that the boundaries would not be conceded by the board if a little bit of territory was to be left orphaned. The board had an unpleasant experience in leaving a strip of territory between two municipalities before and didn't want it repeated.

While the hearing was in progress a protest against the territory being left out of the annexation project was submitted by Attorney Wood. It had just been handed to him and he offered it for what it was worth. This bit lies between Alameda street to Marengo avenue on the east, with the city limits of Pasadena as the southern boundary. Most of the signers are non-residents, the petition representing about 160 acres.

Supervisor Alexander suggested that the plan adopted in similar cases be followed in this—that the board go out and drive around and see the boundaries for themselves. That didn't suit Giddings, for he wanted speedy action. He drew out another petition and said that the people he represented had this petition all ready to file with the City Council at Pasadena in the event of their being included by the Supervisors in the Altadena municipality. The petition asked Pasadena to take pity upon the nineteen signers and take them into the city, the cemetery to be included.

"Will Pasadena take you in?" someone called out to Giddings.

"We have it from good, reliable authority that they will," was the answer.

Mr. Allen, the local architect, who has his home near Altadena, reminded Mr. Giddings that the question of taking a cemetery with nineteen people in to the corporate limits would have to be passed upon by general vote of the people of Pasadena; but that didn't bother the cemetery man. He said that in presenting their petition they had such assurances—

"As you could get from any unauthoritative source," unkindly filled in someone in the background.

"You know that a city of the sixth class can't levy taxes as a city like Pasadena can," Mr. Allen remarked. There had been some talk about the possible expense of being included in the new municipality, and here Giddings handed a strong one back.

"And I know," he said, "that when incorporated you can assess property at anything you like."

A facetious old gentleman from Altadena wanted to know if Giddings would object to a dog tax if taken into Pasadena; but the chairman stopped any tendency to hilarity, and the old gentleman subsided.

It was finally decided that the members of the Board of Supervisors will go to Altadena on March 4 and meet with a committee representing the conflicting interests. A drive will be taken around the boundaries outlined, and then the matter will be taken up for determination on the 13th.

CHAMPION SENTENCED.

A PITIFUL LITTLE GROUP.

Bent and bowed with rheumatism and premature old age, C. C. Champion tottered to the prisoner's stand in Judge Smith's courtroom yesterday, and was sentenced to a life term at San Quentin. This for killing his brother—in self-defense, he claimed at the trial.

As Champion stood forward his wife, a little sad-faced woman, who has shrunk into herself throughout the trial, crept from her seat and stood just behind her husband. The old father, who is now nearly 80, and almost stone deaf, had just entered the court, and he leaned forward over the railing that separated him from his son with a look of dull pain and apprehension on his face. He knew what was being done, but he couldn't hear.

Judge Smith made no comment, nor did the attorney for the defense venture any word in behalf of his client. Champion appeared dazed, but his wife led him back to his seat, and holding his hand, she leaned down and wept quietly, but none the less bitterly. Their son was present on one side and the old father leaned over from behind and pressed the form of the son, whom he was about to lose just as completely as the son who was shot without warning. The little family group made a very saddening picture, and then it suddenly dissolved as the law claimed its own, and the Sheriff led the unresisting Champion out of the court with his family bringing up the rear.

ROGEROS FOUND GUILTY.

QUICK FINDING OF JURY.

After being out just half an hour, the jury in Judge Smith's court returned a verdict of manslaughter against Frank Rogeros, alias Guasti Mistiera, charged with the murder of one Crescello.

The case was a difficult one for the prosecution to conduct. The only witness who really knew anything about the killing at the San Pedro-street shack was the peanut vender, Johns, and he was disposed to favor the defendant in his story. The defendant went upon the stand yesterday in his own defense, and that was all the defense he had—his own statement, with whatever in the testimony offered by the prosecution that might give it support. He confessed having stabbed Crescello inside the shack, but said that he did so in self-defense; that Crescello was about to stab him, and he anticipated him. But no knife was found upon Crescello, and his stepdaughter had testified that her father had no knife with him on the occasion in question, and that the weapon is now in her possession.

The jury took into consideration that the two Italians had been drinking and had engaged in a fight of some sort, and while considering Rogeros guilty the surrounding circumstances and some uncertainties of testimony gave him the advantage of the doubt.

"SANCTIFICATION."

OF A FUNNY BRAND.

John Williams told a queer story to Judge Trask yesterday, and was rewarded by a divorce from Mnierva Williams on the ground of cruelty.

The parties to the action were colored people and married in Texas about thirteen years ago. For some years after arriving in Los Angeles, husband and wife got along very well, the husband was hard working and without bad habits. He brought his wages home and the family lived in comfort. But Mrs. Williams was not willing to let well enough alone. She and her husband had attended church regularly, but suddenly the wife claimed that she was sanctified. She indulged in such fantastic antics that about three years ago she was arrested on the charge of insanity.

After being discharged Mrs. Minerva proclaimed that she had "a call," and that she must preach the gospel. She started a little church of her own and has held services in her parlor.

"What kind of religion do you call it?" inquired Judge Trask; "does she belong to the Holiness church?"

"Naw, not 'xactly," answered Williams. "Ah 'spose yo' kin call it dat, but she do' the jumps differen'. Anyhow, she claims she's sanctified."

Some time ago Mrs. Williams received a young girl into her house. She told the girl that if she came to her she would see that she got religion properly and become sanctified. The girl had some money and so the experiment was one that aroused a good deal of interest among the neighbors. Mrs. Minerva began by telling her disciple that she must starve herself for nine days in order to drive all the evil out of her body so that the devil couldn't get a grip. At about the end of nine days the girl was dead, and Mrs. Minerva was ahead about $200, which she inherited from the convert.

All of this was somewhat trying to the husband. When he came home he had to scramble around for a meal and eat it from an old stump in the back garden. His wife would neither wash, cook nor keep house, and she refused to have anything to do with her husband beyond receiving his wages each week.

"G'way yo' black sinner, yo'" she would call out to Williams if he ventured to approach his wife, and he in deep humiliation crept away. But at last the worm turned, he filed his suit for divorce and got his decree.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

EXPLOIT NORTHERN MINES. The Boulder Consolidated Gold Mines Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $2,000,000, of which $5 has been subscribed. This subscription is merely nominal for incorporation purposes, there being about $80,000 worth of stock subscribed for. The properties are very valuable, and are in the Boulder Creek district, in the northern part of the State. The directors are: J. C. Carruth, A. Miller, F. L. Presbrey, F. J. Whiffen and H. T. Gordon, all of Los Angeles.

SUPPLY COMPANY. The J. L. Berry Supply Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000, of which $22,530 has been subscribed. The directors are J. L. Berry, G. A. Barker, L. L. Berry, W. T. Blakely, Los Angeles, and H. B. Leighton, Santa Monica.

TOOK LIQUID "DOPE." William H. Harrison, who was arrested for acting in a crazy manner, was yesterday examined and discharged. It developed that Harrison at times tries to get the "dope" habit by taking good large swigs of laudanum, and on the day that he was arrested he had taken about a quarter of an ounce of laudanum, and shortly after two stiff drinks of whisky. The tincture of opium and the whisky got in their work at the expense of Harrison. He was trying to tie himself up into a knot and told the police that about a hundred men were hypnotizing him. By yesterday he had straightened himself out and promised to reform.

JUMPED THE WINDOW. Charles Arborgast, the twenty-four-year-old son of a saloon and lodging-house keeper on Center street, was ordered committed to the State asylum at Patton yesterday. When 9 years of age he had a fall that injured his head, and at 15 began to have fits. Recently he has shown signs of decided mental instability, and a week ago jumped in his night clothes out of a window and made off down the street. When arrested he was fearful of people that he said were trying to kill him.

ELOCUTIONARY ABILITY FAILED Mrs. Ella G. Magoan, who has been carrying on business as a real estate agent, was before Judge York yesterday, trying to get a divorce from Ora C. Magoan, on the ground of cruelty. The plaintiff had no frightful charges of specific acts to allege, but averred that her husband was cruel on general principles; that he was profane every day, had a terrible temper, which showed itself every day in the little things of life, and made life a burden to her instead of a delight. Mrs. Magoan raher objected to giving samples of her husband's profane goings-on, but when started kept it going with the skill of an artiste. By voice and gesture she impersonated Mr. Magoan when on the rampage, and in sweet ladylike tones responded. But somehow this little bit of characterization didn't catch the court, for the application was denied.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

CRAP SHOOTERS SAFE IN OPEN.

COURT POWERLESS TO PUNISH STREET GAMBLERS.

Peculiar Wording of City Ordinance Governing Games of Chance Permits Flirting With Fortune Out Under the Blue Sky, and the Case Against Newsboys Falls Flat.

Shoot craps on the streets whenever you feel inclined; there's no ordinance holding good against it.

Sing to "de bones" and say "Cum sebben," while spinning the elusive little dice right out on Broadway, if you like, for no policeman dares to arrest you.

Crap shooters can operate all over town in the streets and alleys, byways and hedges, just so long as they don't get under a roof.

See that nothing but the blue empyrean is above you and you are safe. The strong arm of the law is powerless to molest you. Win the other fellow's money by throwing as many "naturals" as possible, and when he takes the bones, double cross his crap hand with a rabbit's foot and make him throw "little Joe" until he gives up the dice in disgust.

Now all together, everybody shoot craps, and don't be afraid of the cops!

The city of Los Angeles is without an ordinance to prevent street gambling. This discovery was made yesterday in Police Court when J. Peterson and M. B. Page, newsboys, were tried on a charge of gambling on the public highways.

Many sections of ordinances tell how it is unlawful to conduct games of chance in any room or building, but nothing is said about the public highways. The case against the newsies fell flat and Justice Austin was compelled to discharge them.

"This doesn't mean that you will be permitted to gamble in the alley, however," admonished the court, "for I propose to see that necessary steps are immediately taken to break up this crap-shooting on the streets."

For the time being, however, crap games can go on unmolested. The lack of an ordinance governing this vice has been called to the attention of the City Attorney and a new ordinance will be framed as soon as possible.

The youngsters tried yesterday are proteges of Sam Clover and were wont to shoot craps in the "Express alley" directly under the windows of the twilight editor's sanctum sanctorum. This alley is a narrow way from Fourth to Fifth streets between Spring street and Broadway, and at the Express building is the hotbed of gambling by newsies. "Nosey," craps and even poker are played there by the boys nearly every afternoon, and many a poor little street gamin goes broke trying to buck some of the imported older hands at the game. The police have vainly tried to break up the vicious practice, but now must have a law framed to help them out.

Policists.

William Starkweather, an employé of a local garage, was fined $5 in Police Court for running an automobile without a number attached. Such violations of the auto ordinance have become so frequent that the police are keeping a sharp lookout for offenders.

The examination of F. Rubel, the "Hindu soothsayer," who shot a brother "palmist" on Seventh street, was again postponed in Justice Austin's court. Rubel's victim has almost recovered.

BANQUET TONIGHT.

Chamber of Commerce Sells Three Hundred and Seventy-five Tickets, to Date.

The Chamber of Commerce exhibit hall will be kept open until noon today for the accommodation of persons who mean to attend the chamber's annual banquet this evening, but have not yet secured tickets. At closing time last evening 375 tickets had been sold. The members of the Reception Committee are requested to meet the chairman, William D. Stephens, at 5:45 o'clock this evening in the banquet hall.

At the regular meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday the following were elected to membership: Spence Fruit Company, Walter E. Brown, California Gem Company, Stoddard Jess, T. P. Lukens, Pasadena; F. S. Rowan, Louis Evans, Leon F. Moss, Freeze Conservatory of Music, William P. McMullin, William J. Danford.

The Committee on Mercantile Affairs having in charge Assembly Bill, No. 321, which requires quarterly statements from corporations doing business in the State, reported against the passage of the bill. The secretary was instructed to communicate with our representatives in Sacramento, asking them to use their best efforts to prevent the bill from passing, on the grounds that it is in the nature of class legislation, and that there are many strictly commercial organizations which, under this law, would be subject to taxation while individuals and copartnerships were not.

A petition was presented by numerous citizens, asking the City Council to fulfill the ordinance for abandoning the old city cemetery on Fort Hill, and convert the same into a city park. The matter was referred to the Committee on County and Municipal Affairs.

Assembly Bill, No. 712, introduced by Johnstone, to provide for regulation of fires on, and the protection and management of, public and private forest lands within the State of California, and creating a State Board of Forestry and certain offices subordinate to said board, was indorsed.

A bill now before the Legislature, appropriating $10,000 for the discovery of the cause of pear blight and a remedy for the same, was indorsed.

A communication from the Spring Street Improvement Association was presented, asking the chamber to urge the passage of the street-lighting bill now in the Senate. The same was indorsed and the secretary instructed to communicate the action of the board.

The same action was taken with reference to the Juvenile Delinquent Court Bill.

A communication was read from the Portland Chamber of Commerce, suggesting that a committee from the various commercial organizations along the Coast be sent to Washington to urge the President to appoint as members on the Interstate Commerce Commission residents from some of the Coast States. The matter was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

A communication was read from H. B. Lind of Goldfield, Nev., suggesting that some action be taken to further the building of a road between this city, Goldfield and Tonopah. Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

The president was instructed to appoint ten delegates to attend the Water Congress, to be held in this city March 13.

Twenty-five dollars was voted to the Civic League for expenses of Arbor Day.

YAQUI REVOLT IS WORST EVER.

FEROCIOUS WARFARE KEPT UP, SAY LOS ANGELES MEN.

Wholesale Deportation or Extermination of Rebellious Tribe is Government's Only Hope of Restoring Peace in Sonora—Mining at Standstill on Account of Insurrection.

W. E. Richardson, general manager of the La Bufa Mining Company at La Bufa, Sonora, and E. A. Hartmann of this city, who owns properties at La Dura, Sonora, arrived here yesterday from the mines and report that the trouble with the Yaquis is far worse than ever before.

"The present uprising is the most serious Sonora has yet faced," said Mr. Richardson to a Times reporter yesterday. "It is partaking of a ferocity not experienced before. Not content with killing their victims, the Indians have taken to shockingly mutilating the bodies. A large number of Mexicans—prominent citizens of Sonora—have fallen victims to their raids, as well as some Americans.

"The Mexican government is doing everything possible to restore peace, but it begins to look as if that is to come about only when the last Yaqui has been removed from the country. As there were originally about 5000 of them and now, after the government has transported many to Yucatan, there are still some 6000 of them, you can readily see what a job the government has on its hands. I learned just before I left that 500 more troops—cavalrymen, veterans of other Indian wars—are en route from Chihuahua to aid in putting down the rebellion. Many of the Yaquis, seemingly peaceful workingmen, were secretly contributing to the aid of insurrectos, so that the government is being compelled to treat them all much the same.

"The Indians have not come near our mines at all, or within fifty miles, and the only difficulty we have is in the matter of freighting. It is impossible to do any hauling without military escorts, and as a result trade has come to a standstill at Hermosillo and Guaymas, the centers from which the wholesale trade of the interior is supplied. To move a wagon train unguarded in the hostile country would be too foolhardy to be attempted.

"I came in by way of Ortiz with Mr. Hartmann and we had an escort of eleven of his own men. We were fortunate enough not to meet any Indians, but we had several reports of their presence in large bands. Nearly all of the ranches along the route had been abandoned, the owners fleeing for their lives to the towns, and those few where the people remained had been fortified with blockhouses and rifle towers as in the frontier days in this country.

"The troubles are confined to the Yaqui Valley and the Bacatete Mountains, where the Indians had their original homes and where they know every foot of ground. Other parts of the State are safe enough. Every Indian known to be implicated in any murders is promptly shot or hanged on capture."

WHISKY AND LAUDANUM.

Combination That Almost Caused the Death of Despondent Young Man.

Despondent because he was out of work and out of money, vicious from the whisky he had imbibed and suffering from a toothache, L. A. Duquette started to put some laudanum in his tooth last night, then changed his mind and inserted an ounce of the poison into his stomach. He told his wife what he had done and she summoned Dr. Stovall, who by the prompt application of a stomach pump, saved the young man's life.

After he was out of danger, the meanness in him asserted itself and he is said to have struck his wife several times before the doctor could interfere. Then he threatened to whip the doctor and the latter sent for the police. When Patrolman Parker arrived at Duquette's rooms at No. 520 West Sixth street, the young man was quite subdued. He was taken to the Police Station and locked up for the night, it being feared that he might make another attempt to end his life.

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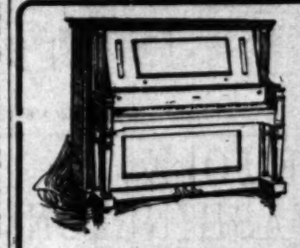
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Without exaggeration, this will be the greatest sale in the history of the house; stocks are broader and better; values greater; and the determination to overstep all past records, firm and unalterable.
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Brent
530-534 SOUTH SPRING STREET
Store closed today. Anti-trust sale begins tomorrow morning.

SPORTING PAGE.

INDUCEMENTS FOR NELSON.

Young Corbett" Gives Best Part of the Purse.

Has Learned Finance from Jimmy Britt.

of Brenneman's Horses. Missouri Pools.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is not generally known, but it is a fact that "Young Corbett" had to make great inducements to "Battling" Nelson before the latter would consent to meet him this week. Corbett has actually given the latter the best part of the purse, win, lose or draw. This is an awful come-down for the champion, and yet Corbett was so anxious to secure a match that he consented to the transaction. Corbett learned the trick from Britt, who has discovered that he is a drawing card, and before he will meet a man, no matter how good he is, Britt usually gets a nice slice of the gate money, and sometimes a bit off the top of the gentleman's pile.

Corbett is loth to talk about the matter, but admits that Nelson is the master by his last victory. This makes Corbett doubly anxious to win, as he will have to do a little dictating, as follows: There was a time when Corbett could sit back and tell his opponent that if they wanted to fight for their share would be thus and so, but this time will not come again in a while. Britt.

TROTTING HORSE SALES.

STABLE OF BRENNEMAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Gazote (2:16¼) brought the top price at the opening day of the trotting-horse sale at the Stock Yards. Most of the horses sold were from the stable of the late D. W. Brenneman. There were forty head in the consignment, the average price per head being $402. The best sales follow:

Gazote (2:16¼,) br.h., 8, by Nesote-Lulu Wilkes, by George Wilkes-G. Reusens, New York, $6100.

Highwood (2:21½,) br.h., by Nutwood-Dalphine, by Harold-W. A. Williams, Kansas City, Mo., $2000.

Chimere, blf., 4, by Chimes-Darkness, by Mambrino King-W. H. Whittington, Decatur, Ill., $1000.

BAD DAY FOR FAVORITES.

ONLY ONE A WINNER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—It was a bad day for favorites, only one being successful. The weather was clear and track heavy. Summary:

Three and a half furlongs: Chief Wittman, 110 (Bonner,) 18 to 5, won; Southern Lady, 102 (Alvarado,) 8 to 5, second; Casazza, 110 (Hoffman,) 20 to 1, third; time 0:45. Novi, Lady Caltherin, Semilune, Miss Topsy and Isla also ran.

Futurity course, selling: Meads, 86 (Barrett,) 8 to 1, won; Silicate, 103 (Knapp,) 11 to 2, second; Agnes Mack, 107 (H. Smith,) 7 to 2, third; time 1:16. Batidor, Skipme, The Hawaiian, Goldenbuck and Educate also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Hippon, 109 (Alaria,) 9 to 2, won; Toto Gratiot, 112 (Bell,) 30 to 1, second; Hulford, 101 (Wright,) 9 to 10, third; time 1:24½. Mr. Farnum, Cuban Queen, Bob Palmer and Brown Patsy also ran.

Selling, mile and twenty yards: Isabellita, 107 (Knapp,) 5 to 1, won; Trapsetter, 102 (Barrett,) 6 to 1, second; Barney Dreyfus, 99 (Graham,) 7 to 2, third; time 1:51. Frangible, Cloche d'Or and The Fretter also ran.

Selling: Mr. Dingle, 107 (Jones,) 18 to 5, won; Blackthorn, 112 (Knapp,) 9 to 1, second; Jack Little, 108 (Otis,) 16 to 5, third; time 1:49¾. Hungarian, Homage, Foxy Grandpa and Playball also ran.

Futurity course, purse: True Wing, 105 (Birkenruth,) 16 to 5, won; M. A. Powell, 110 (Bonner,) 5 to 2, second; Duplex, 100 (Knapp,) 40 to 1, third; time 1:16. Andvari, Celeres, St. Denis and Cloudlight also ran.

Minor Ball.

The Woodbury Business College baseball team will play the Compton team at Compton at 3:30 p.m. today. The battery for the former team consists of Ganahl and Ewing.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

INGLESIDE PARK, Tuesday, February 21, 1905. Seventy-seventh day. Weather cloudy. Track heavy. Judges, A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. J. J. Holtman, starter.

FIRST RACE—Free handicap steeplechase. Short course. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $525.

Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Chime, 5 (H. Stover)	162	2	2h	4 2	2 4	1h	1 1	Fulks	3	7-2
Ida, 6 (T. Gilbert)	162	1	4 4	3 1	1n	2 3	2h	Sullivan	2	3
Gardner, 6 (Davies Co.)	147	5	5 1	5 10	4 20	3 5	3 5	Dayton	*2	5-2
Ben Bozman, a (S. Olsen)	158	4	1 2	2 1	3 ½	4 30	4 25	Collis	4	6
Jack Long, 6 (C. F. Tanner)	130	3	6	6	5	5	5	Russell	6	7
Ramon, 6 (T. A. Davies & Co.)	130	6	3 ½	1 1	Ran out			Tully	4	*

*Field entry.

Time—Limerick Town.

Start—Off at once. Start good. Won driving. Second the same.

Winner, b. g., by Darebin-Sophie. Trained by J. M. Shields.

Limerick Town, taken back after third jump, but moved up into contending position taking command at last jump. Ida flashed into apparent easy winning lead after taking final jump, but had to be ridden to the limit of her following strides to withstand Flea's bold challenge. Latter stood last eighth drive of Ida resolutely. Allegiance made up ground fast last eighth, finishing gaining. Gardner fenced at last jump. Suave fenced well, but ran out sixth jump.

SECOND RACE—Three and one-half furlongs. Purse. Maiden colts and geldings. Four-year-olds. Value to first, $325.

All Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
John Bull, 3 (McLaughlin)	114	3	.....	.....	.....	1 2	1 2½	W. Dugan	6	7-2
Ben Brush, 3 (Engstrom)	119	1	.....	.....	.....	2 4	2 2	J. Booker	3	11-2
Bonnie Dundee, 3 (Rowland Farms)	114	2	.....	.....	.....	4 1	3 ½	Fuller	4	30
Sir Rose, 3 (Durnell)	116	5	.....	.....	.....	3 1	4 2	Prior	*2	13-5
Sir Modred, 3 (E. Durnell)	105	6	.....	.....	.....	7 2	5 4	McDaniel	*	*
Sweet Chloe, 2 (G. & O'H.)	114	7	.....	.....	.....	6 ½	6 4	Pennebecamp	6	6
Lord Badge, 3 (J. Baldwin)	114	8	.....	.....	.....	5 ½	7 ½	J. McBride	6	5
Sir Play, 3 (A. Forbes & Co.)	114	4	.....	.....	.....	8 6	8 2	Helgerson	10	100
Lord Elf, 2 (C. Stubenbord)	114	11	.....	.....	.....	9 7	9 4	Kuns	6	12
Sir Favor, 2 (Waters)	116	9	.....	.....	.....	10	10 9	Nevins	10	7
Sir Thomas, 2 (C. Desmarais)	111	10	.....	.....	.....	11	11	Burton	15	100

*Field entry.

Time—Thrashbat.

Start—At post 1 min. Start good. Won easily. Second the same.

Winner, ch. c., by Henry of Navarre-Sun Fish. Trained by James McLaughlin.

Thrashbat, Royal Income, Sing, Hesch Waters, 2, in close quarters first half; got clear passing far turn; moved up fast nearing stretch and sometimes a bit off the pace, but tired closing strides. Latter tired closing strides. Waters ran out just before reaching home. J. K. F. slow to leave post; had no chance.

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Ben Brush, 6 (Millin)	109	7	.....	2 h	1 2½	1 2	1 2½	Fuller	6-5	4-5
Bonnie Dundee, 4 (Rowland Farms)	104	4	.....	3 1	4 3	3 1½	2 1½	Miller	7-2	1
Sir Play, 4 (C. M. Williams)	109	3	.....	4 2½	2 ½	4 4	3 3½	W. Dugan	10	20
Sir Modred, 5 (Lamar Bros.)	107	2	.....	1 n	2 1	2 ½	4 5	Herbert	15	50
Sir Favor, 4 (Fitzgerald & T.)	102	6	.....	5 1½	5 1½	5 1½	5 4	J. Kelly	15	50
Lord Badge, 4 (Blasingame)	102	5	.....	6 6	6 12	6 15	6 8	Crosthw'te	20	100
Lord Elf, 3 (Owl Stable)	111	10	1	11	11	10	10	Helgerson	20	60
Sir Thomas, 5 (H. Booker)	109	2	9 ½	6 11½	8 2	Broke down		J. Kelly	6-5	3

Time—0:23, 0:46, 1:11, 1:37½, 2:04½.

Winner, b. g., by Ben Brush-Frank Mayo, 3.

Start—At post 1 min. Start good. Won driving. Second easily.

Winner, b. g. Captive-Loora. Trained by owner.

Ben Brush, slow to get into stride; flashed into easy lead first quarter; displayed brilliant form all the way through close quarters first turn, rushed into forward position stretch, and in long-sustained stretch drive outstayed Dixelle. Latter should have had more of a handicap than help, the filly finishing on her own courage. Bonnie Dundee was never a factor, but tired fast eighth out. Counterpoise apparently refused until in fit condition to race.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds. Value to first, $325.

Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Dixelle, 3 (Frank Regan)	95	5	6 ½	5 h	3 2½	2 4	1 1½	McDaniel	1	4-5
Sir Rouge, 3 (J. J. Ellerd)	100	6	1 h	1 1	1 6	1 2½	2 4	Herbert	3-2	3-2
Sing Mackay, 3 (Stubenbord)	95	3	4 1½	3 2	2 h	3 5	3 1	Moriarity	6	9-2
Sir Leaf, 3 (Gorman & B.)	95	4	7	7	6 h	4 1	4 2	M. Wood	6	20
Sir Rose, 3 (E. Schreiber)	94	1	2 ½	4 h	7	6 3	5 3	Von Grafflin	15	40
Sir Favor, 3 (J. B. Harris)	95	7	5 h	6 1	4 2½	5 1½	6 10	Holcomb	15	60
Sir Thomas, 3 (Knobelkamp Co.)	99	2	3 h	2 1.	5 h	7	7	J. McBride	10	25

Time—0:23, 0:46, 1:11½, 1:38½.

Winner, b. g., by Sir Dixon-Flotter, 2.

Start—At post 2 min. Start good. Won handily. Second easily.

Winner, b. g. Kingston-Merry Dance. Trained by owner.

Dixelle, slow to get into stride; flashed into easy lead first quarter; displayed brilliant form in close quarters first half; got clear passing far turn; moved up fast nearing stretch, and in long-sustained stretch drive outstayed Dixelle. Latter should have had more of a handicap than help, the filly finishing on her own courage. Sing Mackay was never a factor, but tired fast eighth out. Counterpoise apparently refused until in fit condition to race.

SIXTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Horses and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Sir Rose, 3 (F. E. Baird)	88	7	5 ½	3 h	3 h	1 ½	1 h	Moriarity	4	7-2
Flotter, 3 (W. R. Price)	91	11	8 h	8 h	3 h	2 4	2 1	W. Dorsey	5	12
Sir Favor, 5 (J. L. Holland)	111	1	4 h	6 ½	6 ½	4 ½	3 1	W. Miller	7-2	11-2
Sir Play, 4 (F. Regan)	113	3	2 h	4 2	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	W. Dugan	4	10
Sir Modred, 6 (P. W. Cooper)	99	5	6 h	7 ½	6 ½	5 ½	5 ½	Dillon	15	20
Sir Princeton, 5 (S. Polk)	102	4	1 1	1 h	1 h	3 1½	6 ½	Kuns	3	4
Sir Rouge, 4 (Martin)	99	6	9 1	9 h	7 h	7 1	7 ½	Holcomb	20	60
Sing Mackay, 4 (J. J. Ellerd)	103	6	6 1	9 ½	9 2	8 1	8 3	Herbert	3	10
Sir Leaf, 5 (T. A. Davies & Co.)	103	8	7 h	10 1	10 1	9 ½	9 6	W. Smith	10	20
Sir Rose, 4 (Owl Stable)	111	10	1	11	11	10	10	Helgerson	20	60
Sir Thomas, 6 (H. Booker)	106	2	9 ½	6 11½	8 2	Broke down		J. Kelly	6-5	3

Time—0:23, 0:46, 1:11½, 1:37½, 2:04½.

Winner, b. g., by Sir Dixon-Frank Mayo, 3.

Start—At post 1 min. Start good. Won easily. Second the same.

Winner, b. g. Captive-Loora. Trained by owner.

Sir Rose, slow to get into stride; flashed into easy lead first quarter; displayed brilliant form all the way through close quarters first turn, rushed into forward position stretch, and in long-sustained stretch drive outstayed Dixelle. Latter should have had more of a handicap than help, the filly finishing on her own courage. Sing Mackay was never a factor, but tired fast eighth out. Counterpoise apparently refused until in fit condition to race.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Horses and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Sir Rose, 5 (F. E. Baird)	88	7	5 ½	3 h	3 h	1 ½	1 h	Moriarity	4	7-2
Flotter, 3 (W. R. Price)	91	11	8 h	8 h	3 h	2 4	2 1	W. Dorsey	5	12
Sir Favor, 5 (J. L. Holland)	111	1	4 h	6 ½	6 ½	4 ½	3 1	W. Miller	7-2	11-2
Sir Play, 4 (F. Regan)	113	3	2 h	4 2	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	W. Dugan	4	10
Sir Modred, 6 (P. W. Cooper)	99	5	6 h	7 ½	6 ½	5 ½	5 ½	Dillon	15	20
Sir Princeton, 5 (S. Polk)	102	4	1 1	1 h	1 h	3 1½	6 ½	Kuns	3	4
Sir Rouge, 4 (Martin)	99	6	9 1	9 h	7 h	7 1	7 ½	Holcomb	20	60
Sing Mackay, 4 (J. J. Ellerd)	103	6	6 1	9 ½	9 2	8 1	8 3	Herbert	3	10
Sir Leaf, 5 (T. A. Davies & Co.)	103	8	7 h	10 1	10 1	9 ½	9 6	W. Smith	10	20
Sir Rose, 4 (Owl Stable)	111	10	1	11	11	10	10	Helgerson	20	60
Sir Thomas, 6 (H. Booker)	106	2	9 ½	6 11½	8 2	Broke down		J. Kelly	6-5	3

Time—0:23, 0:46, 1:11½, 1:43½.

Winner, b. g., by Sir Dixon-Frances Palatine, 4½.

Start—At post 1 min. Start good. Won driving. Second handily.

Winner, b. g. Tyrant-Shema Van. Trained by owner.

Sir Princeton, Nullah, Miss May Bowdish.

Sir Princeton, slow to get into stride; flashed into easy lead first quarter; displayed brilliant form all the way through close quarters first turn, rushed into forward position stretch, and in long-sustained stretch drive outstayed Dixelle. Latter should have had more of a handicap than help, the filly finishing on her own courage. Sing Mackay was never a factor, but tired fast eighth out. Counterpoise apparently refused until in fit condition to race.

EIGHTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Horses and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Sir Rose, 5 (F. E. Baird)	88	7	5 ½	3 h	3 h	1 ½	1 h	Moriarity	4	7-2
Flotter, 3 (W. R. Price)	91	11	8 h	8 h	3 h	2 4	2 1	W. Dorsey	5	12
Sir Favor, 5 (J. L. Holland)	111	1	4 h	6 ½	6 ½	4 ½	3 1	W. Miller	7-2	11-2
Sir Play, 4 (F. Regan)	113	3	2 h	4 2	4 ½	4 ½	4 ½	W. Dugan	4	10
Sir Modred, 6 (P. W. Cooper)	99	5	6 h	7 ½	6 ½	5 ½	5 ½	Dillon	15	20
Sir Princeton, 5 (S. Polk)	102	4	1 1	1 h	1 h	3 1½	6 ½	Kuns	3	4
Sir Rouge, 4 (Martin)	99	6	9 1	9 h	7 h	7 1	7 ½	Holcomb	20	60
Sing Mackay, 4 (J. J. Ellerd)	103	6	6 1	9 ½	9 2	8 1	8 3	Herbert	3	10
Sir Leaf, 5 (T. A. Davies & Co.)	103	8	7 h	10 1	10 1	9 ½	9 6	W. Smith	10	20
Sir Rose, 4 (Owl Stable)	111	10	1	11	11	10	10	Helgerson	20	60
Sir Thomas, 6 (H. Booker)	106	2	9 ½	6 11½	8 2	Broke down		J. Kelly	6-5	3

Time—0:23, 0:46, 1:11½, 1:43½.

Winner, b. g., by Sir Dixon-Frances Palatine, 4½.

Start—At post 1 min. Start good. Won driving. Second handily.

Winner, b. g. Tyrant-Shema Van. Trained by owner.

Sir Princeton, Nullah, Miss May Bowdish.

Sir Princeton, slow to get into stride; flashed into easy lead first quarter; displayed brilliant form all the way through close quarters first turn, rushed into forward position stretch, and in long-sustained stretch drive outstayed Dixelle. Latter should have had more of a handicap than help, the filly finishing on her own courage. Sing Mackay was never a factor, but tired fast eighth out. Counterpoise apparently refused until in fit condition to race.

FEW RACES GO TO FAVORITES.

FOUR EVENTS CAPTURED BY HEAVILY PLAYED NAGS.

Counterpoise the Favorite in Final Dash Breaks Down and Does Not Come to the Finish—Large Crowd Sees the Sport—Jump Race Fails to Furnish Incident.

Favorites had another bad day yesterday at Ascot, only two running in first in the six events, but this seemed to make little difference to those that closely observe things, for every one of the winners received strong support except the one in the jump race. Four of the winners were heavily backed down from their opening prices, Sun Fire in the second, E. M. Brattain in the third, Cotillion in the fifth, and Bailey in the sixth getting the heavy play, and a large amount of money must have been taken out of the ring on these four.

Counterpoise, the opening favorite in the last race broke down on the back stretch, and did not finish, the Jockey dismounting near the seven-eighths pole in order that the horse might be taken to the barns. He got a fair start, but was bumped and interfered with in the jam of eleven rounding the first turn, and was running a fairly good fifth in the back stretch when he stopped and was pulled up.

This was the only real happening of the day. It was ladies' day at the park, and about 6000 people were there to see the sport, and they had about all they wanted, for the races were interesting, and good time was made, the track being fast.

The jump race, which opened the card, was run without particular incident, being won by the 3-to-1 shot Decimo, with Flea second and the favorite, Allegiance, third. Suave, who was coupled with Allegiance, ran out at the sixth jump, and Dr. Long hit every one he went over. The others jumped cleanly.

The big gray, E. M. Brattain, finally won a race as the post favorite, and after getting into his stride, shot out in front and led everything over two lengths to the finish. Borghesi, played equally as strong, ran second, and the 29-to-1 shot, Lustig, was third.

Sun Fire captured the baby race from Search Me, the new horse Cello being third, and in front of Royal Income and Astral, coupled as the favorites.

The fourth went to Invictus in a drive from Bugle Horn, the winner leading all the way. This race was noticeable for the fact that Invictus, Ripper, Helgerson and Freesias were all at 4 to 1 in the betting, Chub ran last, as usual, and made such a poor showing that his entry will be refused until he can be put into shape to race.

Cotillion finally earned brackets by winning the fifth race as an odds-on-favorite, Kingthorpe running second, and the strongly-played Maggie Mackey third. The last race was won by Bailey at 4 to 1, in a driving finish from Dixelle. The good thing, Hindoo Princess, at 3 to 1, led all the way to the three-quarter pole and then stopped.

There was only one run-up during the day, Cotillion being boosted from $400 to $900, and sold to Al Goodin at that price.

TODAY'S RACES.

The card for today is as follows:

FIRST RACE—One mile, purse, maidens, three years old and upward:

243	Los Angeleno 109
448	Skeptic 108
383	Sinicado 106
462	Prince Palatine 107
462	Bailey 105
343	Count Rudolf 104
350	Auro 103
...	Telephone Belle 103
184	Gleeman 103
433	Dissipation 103
389	Josie Wheeler 102

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs, purse, two year olds:

(463)	**Wee Girl 121
451	**Annis 97
(451)	Ala Russell 107
...	Earl Rogers 105
B. c., Sain—Sister to Uncle Bob.	
451	Ila 102
284	Azuba 97

**Stubenbord entry.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs, purse, three year olds and upward:

454	Kenilworth 112
...	Barrington 105
...	Angeleno 102
424	Emshee 102
(418)	Princess Titania 100
413	El Chihuahua 99
452	Tim Hurst 95
452	Relph Reese 92
34	Lerida 92
410	Head Dance 92
452	West Brookfield 92
441	Tyrolian 90
419	Hilona 87

FOURTH RACE—Brooks course, the Santa Anita Handicap, $1250 added, two year olds and upward:

(393)	Schoolmate 123
454	Requiter 116
448	Pasadena 110
229	**Bragg 108
310	**Foncasta 97
450	Sheriff Bell 103
449	Briarthorpe 102
397	Nitrate 100
456	Diamante 100
448	Kehailan 98
459	Borghesi 96

**Curl entry.

FIFTH RACE—Slauson course, purse, three year olds:

(429)	Cigarlighter 110
441	Tramotor 107
(452)	Fireball 105
(411)	Witch Hazel 100
434	Smithy Kane 97

SIXTH RACE—One mile and fifty yards, selling, four year olds and upward:

(450)	*Ora Viva 107
(445)	*Padua 107
456	Palmist 101
450	*Cincinnatus 100
(412)	*Dutiful 97
449	*Briarthorpe 96
431	*The Lady Rohesia 92
431	*My Gem 89

*Apprentice allowance.

TODAY'S DOPE.

First—Skeptic, Sinicado, Dissipation.

Second—Entry, Ila, Ala Russell.

Third—Princess Titania, Lerida, Kenilworth.

Fourth—Pasadena, Kehailan, Schoolmate.

Fifth—Fireball, Witch Hazel, Cigarlighter.

Sixth—The Lady Rohesia, My Gem, Padua.

NEW ORLEANS RACES.

CITY PARK RESULTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—Six furlongs: Harpoon won, Padre second, James H. Reed third; time 1:20 2-5.

One mile: Saladin won, Basil second, Lou M. third; time 1:50.

Five furlongs: Savior Faire won, Yorkshire Lad second, John Lyle third; time 1:06 1-5.

One mile: Rightful won, Bessie Mc second, Togo third; time 1:50 2-5.

Mile and an eighth: Chanley won, The Hebrew second, Remorse third; time 2:05 2-5.

Six furlongs: Benmora won, Sid Silver second, Midnight Minstrel third; time 1:18 3-5.

CRESCENT CITY RESULTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—One mile: Conundrum won, Gladiator second, Arachuet third; time 1:51 2-5.

Six furlongs: Chamble won, Ogonta second, Safeguard third; time 1:21.

Six furlongs: Flying Charcoal won, Belle of Portland second, Dusky third; time 1:20.

Six furlongs, handicap: Right Royal won, Jake Sanders second, Dapple Gold third; time 1:19.

Five and one-half furlongs: Song and Wine won, Charlie Dixon second, Matador third; time 1:12.

Mile and one-sixteenth: Rainland won, Barkelmore second, Merry Acrobat third; time 1:58.

Oaklawn Results.

HOT SPRINGS (Ark.) Feb. 21.—Three and one-half furlongs: Quinn Brady won, Peter the Great second, Never Seen third; time 0:48 2-5.

Five and one-half furlongs: Miss Connell won, Inflammable second, But Well third; time 1:18 4-5.

One mile: Tocan won, Gus Heldorn second, Turrandol third; time 1:57 2-5.

Three furlongs: Oselnko won, Lady Charade second, Minna Baker third; time 0:40 2-5.

Five and one-half furlongs: Platoon won, Voltaire second, Orchestra third; time 1:19 2-5.

Mile and one-eighth: Namesk! won, Memphian second, Proceeds third; time 2:12 2-5.

STRUGGLE FOR SUPREMACY.

COLLEGE ATHLETES TO MEET IN FIELD TRIALS TODAY.

Occidental and U.S.C. Teams in Pink of Condition for the Fray—The Contest Between Methodists and Presbyterians Promises to be One of Closest of Local Scholastic Meets.

Occidental and U.S.C. will struggle for supremacy on field and cinder path today and the trial of strength promises to be most interesting.

College fans who claim to have the "right dope," declare the present dual meet will be one of the closest ever. The Methodist school expects to win and the Presbyterians are equally confident of success.

Coach Holmes has had a likely bunch of athletes sprinting over the cinders and doing feats of strength on the oval in all kinds of weather, and the result of his special ministration is a crack crew of stalwarts trained into the pink of condition, and who are only waiting for the word to prove their speed and strength.

Occidental College has improved every opportunity that would make for a winning team. Two coaches have worked untiringly on the muscles of the young Presbyterians. Merrill has moulded the weight men and Wadsley has lengthened the stride of the runners until it will take a worthy bunch to snatch victory from the black and gold.

Dunn and Parsons in the sprints are probably first-place men for U. S.C., with Higgins and Bovard as likely men in the distance runs. Fergusson and Broderson are excellent material in the weights, and should both be place men for the Methodist school. With the exception of Comstock in the pole vault the others on the team will probably do nothing startling.

Hagerman and Roth are the stars of the Occidental team; the former seems to be a sure winner in the high hurdles and the broad jump, while "Little Dutch" will undoubtedly have things all his own way in the distance runs, as he already holds the Southern California intercollegiate record in the mile. Bacon in the shot-put and hammer-throw and Merrill in the pole vault are good men. The others are good second and third-place men. The Presbyterians, while they lack first-place men, are strong in both of the other places, and there is a likelihood tha tthey will win out in the final count because of this fact.

Interest centers in the relay race, which promises to be a fight to a finish. Hagerman, Bird, Roberts, Bacon, Thatcher and Roth will run for Occidental, while Parsons, Dunn, Nordahl, Fergusson, Bovard and Hamilton will carry the message for the Methodists. Both schools have entered their crack sprinters in this event, and a trophy cup will go to the winning team.

The contest will be pulled off on the U.S.C. field at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A special effort has been made to get the track into the best possible condition, and the recent rains have made the cinder path the fastest in the

JACK DOYLE NOT WANTED.

M'CREEDIE SEEKS BASEMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Walter McCreedie, manager of the Portland Browns, is trying hard to rid himself of Jack Doyle, the first baseman who wanted to back out of his contract. McCreedie at first made a dicker for Hal Chase, and as that deal has fallen through he is now looking to Louisville.

MISSOURI POOLSELLING

BREEDERS' LAW REPEALED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.) Feb. 21.—The House today passed the bill repealing the "Breeders' Law," which authorizes pool selling on horse races in certain enclosures. The proposed law, known as the Godfrey Bill, not only repeals the Breeders' Law, but prohibits pool selling on horse races in any part of the State of Missouri. The bill now goes to the Senate, where a determined fight on it is expected.

FRANK DILLON SOLD

WILL RETURN TO COAST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BLOOMINGTON (Ill.) Feb. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frank Dillon received word from the Brooklyn Club tonight that he had been sold to Los Angeles for $1700. The first baseman is in high spirits over his prospective return to the Coast.

IKE ROCKENFELD'S TRIP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21.—The St. Louis American League has adjusted matters satisfactory to Ike Rockenfeld, the Coast League infielder, who will report here to make the training trip with the club to Dallas, Tex.

CHESS.

TOURNEY NOW ON.

Interest in the game of kings continues unabated at the rooms of the Los Angeles Chess Club on West Fourth street, and the special attraction at present is a tournament for third-class players. Play commenced on Sunday and it is expected that the end will not be reached until about April 1. The players are Hupp, Butman, Coleman, Donovan, Epstein, Hayes, Stokes, F. W. Taylor and Moskiman, and so far eight games have been played.

King Buys a Jumper.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—King Edward, whose steeplechaser, Ambush II, died Saturday in Ireland, today purchased the Australian jumper, Noigal, now favorite for the Grand National Steeplechase, to be run at the Liverpool spring meeting, March 31.

SIR GEORGE PRESCOTT

In center of picture, noted British polo ist who will be one of principal figures today in Riverside.

BICYCLE RACES.

SPORT AT COVINA.

The bicycle races that will be run at Covina today will be a big attraction to the local wheelmen and three-fourths of the men now in training will participate. The events consist of a ten-mile road race, a ten-mile motor-cycle handicap, a two-mile handicap, a one-mile handicap and a quarter-mile open race. Forty prizes are offered for the road race, ten for the motor-cycle event and various others for the other races.

Handicapper Billy Loos completed the handicap list for the road race at a late hour last night and the names of the entrants and the handicaps in minutes and seconds are as follows:

Florentin, scratch; Aerrano, Overholtzer and H. Graham, thirty seconds; Wallace and I. Pearne, one minute; J. Agusyo, 1:30; C. C. Mettler, R. S. Baldwin, M. R. Benton and C. Aguayo, 2:00; W. Long, Van McDonald and M. Aguayo, 2:30; John Wilkes, Harry Gill and Wells Benton, 3:00; G. H. Lee, 3:30; Charles Connor, 4:00; E. O. Logue, 4:30; H. H. Wheeler, 5:00.

The entries for the motor-cycle race are Sam Williams, Ed. Bungay, Guy Kipp H. P. Christofferson and Arnold and Speed.

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BUSINESS.

Operations on 'Change at New York were of a character to encourage the expectation of participation by the public at large. Union Pacific was the feature, and was carried to a record price.

Trading in July wheat at Chicago was of a character to suggest that the market was receiving support from a prominent bull trader. May closed at 1.19⅛ and July at 1.01⅞@1.01⅞.

GEORGE WASHINGTON.

There is no day on the calendar of the year dearer to the hearts of the American people than this the anniversary of the birth of George Washington. In all the history of the world there is no figure more commanding than that of the illustrious and immortal Virginian who was this nation's first President. Time but serves to make brighter his glory, and to still further endear his memory to the hearts of his countrymen and to all mankind. His genius as a military commander, his greatness as a statesman, his unselfish patriotism and the purity of his life in every way, are not exceeded in the judgment of history. He was, as Byron, the poet, described him—

"The first, the last, the best,
The Cincinnatus of the West."

On this, his natal day, the youth of the land should be encouraged—if, indeed, encouragement be necessary—to study the life and character of Washington. There was about him every element of that romance of heroism so dear to the imagination of the young. The heroic mold in which he was cast, his splendid physical make-up, the dignity and grace which characterized his bearing, his bravery and the deeds of wonderful daring which he performed, all serve to throw a glamor about him which yet is sustained by truth. When under that famous tree on that memorable day he unsheathed his sword and took command of the Continental armies, the glory that surrounded him was such that women fainted and men were struck speechless with awe. Monmouth and Valley Forge, the crossing of the Delaware, and a hundred other events cling to his fame with a more than romantic splendor. From his first experience in war with Braddock, down to the last day when, with dim eyes, he took farewell of the army, there is a thrilling interest in Washington's career exceeded by no name in the annals of mankind.

John Adams said that "Providence left Washington childless that his country might call him father." It is a beautiful thought. He was, indeed, the father of his country, and as such shall we revere his memory today, repeating with fond pride that other tribute wherein it was said of him that he was "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

RACE-COURSE GAMBLING.

The gambling mania induced by Ascot Park gambling is having a disastrous effect on the morals of this community. Its effects are felt in business, in society and among all classes, men, women and even among children. This evil must be eradicated. There need be no mincing of words, as there can be no compromising of arguments. Against horse racing in the abstract there may not be grounds for serious quarrel. But when horse racing is degraded by its accompaniments, when it is made simply an excuse for gambling, when it becomes the center of attraction for notoriously bad characters, it is an institution to be unhesitatingly condemned and firmly suppressed. Ascot Park, by the conduct of its business during two winters in succession, has shown us so-called sport turned to the most profligate abuse. It has proved itself an unmitigated curse to the community. Therefore, without cavil or quibble, Ascot Park as a racing resort has to be wiped off the map of Los Angeles. But the change must be by reformation, not by mere cutting adrift. The latest proposal put forward with brazen effrontery by the betting fraternity, namely, to form a separate city by incorporation and so secure the power to run the district as they choose, is one that the public will not tolerate, be the means of defeating it what they may. Los Angeles has no intention of permitting such a scandal. Means will be found to prevent it.

This public gambling during the present winter has brought us a double measure of misfortune. We have had an evil element drawn temporarily to our city; we have had insidious evil wrought among our permanent home population. Only a small fraction of the latter may have attended the gambling track as habitués, or even merely as occasional visitors. But their number has been all too large; the misery and moral deterioration wrought have been all too serious. In a clean-living city that prides itself on its enlightenment, its progressiveness and its high ideals, we can tolerate no attempt to poison the well springs of our communal life. The ambition of Los Angeles is to build brick upon brick by honest, manly work. In our soil and climate, the sterling class of settlers these have attracted, the substantial capital they have brought or set flowing in our direction, the industry and enterprise that animate us, employers and employés alike, we have the most splendid foundations of general and abiding prosperity. Upon these foundations we want no gimcrack gilded palace reared. Los Angeles is a city of homes. Gambling does not build homes, but wrecks them. If horse racing cannot be dissociated from gambling, then we have no use for horse racing here. The evil, with all its train of contaminating influences, must be swept from our midst. We must fight it as we would fight the plague, stamping it out before irreparable injury has been done.

What are the lessons of the past few months? We have had brutal highway robberies such as have perhaps never before disgraced the city. We have had street car conductors held up at lonely terminals and restaurants raided by masked desperadoes in the very center of the city. Besides these acts of criminal audacity we have had a plentiful crop of mere subtly contrived villainies, such as that which resulted last Saturday in the looting of a hotel cash drawer in broad daylight and amid the moving throng. The record of this winter's crime shows clearly enough the gang that horse racing has brought into Los Angeles. But these are merely the stories that have reached the police and the publicity of the press. For every one that has been told, there have been many more left untold, acts of swindling by confidence men and gambling sharks in every line of business which shame or fear of exposure has caused the victims to suppress.

Then there is the crime among our own people which the gambling spirit thus let loose inevitably breeds. There have been constantly recurring cases of larceny and embezzlement, the only miserable excuse for which has been "playing the races at Ascot Park." And here again but a mere fraction of the havoc wrought comes under the public eye. Men in responsible situations have been quietly dropped because their honesty has been proven incapable of withstanding this form of temptation, or because employers have refused to repose trust in men who have laid themselves open to the suspicion attaching to their presence, near the race track. Furthermore, without any breaking of the law, there have been painful cases of careers shipwrecked, of happy homes broken up, because of the fatal facilities offered for launching into a career of reckless gambling. Even women have been drawn into the vortex, and mere youths have taken their first lessons in subterfuge or open defiance of the world's respect.

Horse racing, it is sometimes argued, brings money into a city, and keeps money in circulation. Such a plea deserves not one moment's consideration. It could be advanced to justify the vilest debauchery—a saturnalia of drunkenness or any other riotous phase vice might care to assume. Moreover, the excuse obscures the real issue. The money that passes from hand to hand at such a place as Ascot Park is money withdrawn from honest business circulation and put to dishonest uses. There can be no such thing as "honest gambling." The phrase is a contradiction in terms; we might as well speak of "moral immorality" or "sober inebriety." Gambling is a vice, even though it may be a widespread human instinct. But there are instincts for evil as well as instincts for good, and all the laws of the land, the consensus of right thinking in every civilized land, class gambling with the former. It may be difficult to combat, it may be impossible of eradication, everywhere and in its every form. But this does not say that we should acquiesce in its persistence. Far less does it say that we should encourage its spread by publicly licensing it at a horse-racing resort. For two winters now Ascot Park has had its trial, and by its fruits it stands condemned. Public opinion is aroused, and those who live or profit by the enterprise have their notice to quit.

A FEW FRAGMENTS FROM A BROKEN RECORD.

The San Francisco Examiner of Monday, February 20, contained an editorial article entitled: "The Examiner Breaks a Record." With considerable particularity our unesteemed cotemporary goes on to relate how the alleged breaking of the alleged record was accomplished. "Yesterday," it exclaims, "the Examiner published ninety-five and one-half columns or nearly fourteen pages of small advertisements set in agate type. These are the sort of advertisements sometimes called 'classified ads.,' or 'want ads.,' and they have come to be regarded all over the country as the best expression of a newspaper's popularity in the community where it is printed."

It is a well known fact that the unesteemed Examiner of San Francisco has a standing rule never to tell the truth when a lie will serve its purpose. Without stopping at this moment to verify the correctness of its count, let us admit for the sake of the argument that it did on Sunday last contain 95½ columns of "want ads." On the same date its weak and tottering namesake in this city, the Los Angeles Examiner, contained 53¾ columns of "want ads." This includes all the liners which that paper manages to get by abject, piteous and frantic solicitation. Adding all together, we have a sum total of 149¼ columns of "want ads." for both of these Hearst papers, on Sunday, February 19. On the same date, the Los Angeles Times printed 163½ columns of "want ads.," or 14¼ columns more than both of these yellow sheets combined. It should be added that the type used was agate in all cases.

It is a self-evident fact that this class of advertising has "come to be regarded all over the country as the best expression of a newspaper's popularity in the community where it is printed." Nobody denies this, for denial would be useless. Measured by this unerring standard, the popularity of the Los Angeles Examiner in the community where it is published is something which may possibly be discovered with the aid of a strong magnifying glass, but not otherwise.

Continuing the account of its "record-breaking" exploit, the San Francisco organ of Hearstism declares that "The Examiner's showing of classified advertisements yesterday is far and away the record in that department of any newspaper on the Pacific Coast." All this is, of course, deliberately, premeditatedly, and recklessly false; for the unesteemed Examiner is well aware that The Times prints, regularly, more than double the number of columns of classified advertisements, or "want ads.," printed in any paper in San Francisco; also that The Times prints regularly in its Sunday issue more than double the number of columns of these advertisements printed in all the other Los Angeles papers combined, including the Saturday editions of both evening papers.

Truly, "circulation and popularity tell the whole story;" and if Hearst's saffron sheet of the Bay City is satisfied to accept its record of 95½ columns of classified advertisements, as compared to 163½ columns in The Times of the same date, as a criterion of the good will of the public, The Times can certainly find no objection. It can only say that the saffron sheet is easily satisfied.

"A whole twelve-page section" of The Times is never large enough to satisfy the demands of its patrons for "these little advertisements" on Sunday. But The Times is always "prepared for such an enormous array of this kind of business," and has long since found a way "to keep pace with the demands of the paper's patrons and do complete justice to their wants."

NO RATE LEGISLATION.

The latest report from Washington is to the effect that there will be no freight rate legislation at the present session of Congress. The Senate has dilly-dallied and procrastinated so long (and so needlessly,) in the matter of this needed and important legislation to enlarge the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission, that there will not be time in the few days that remain of the present session to give the matter anything like the consideration which its unquestioned and vast importance deserves.

There is nothing new nor startling in this information. The attitude of the Senate toward the proposed legislation, from the first, has been such as to give no hope that it would take favorable action, or any action at all, during the present session, on the proposition to give to the Interstate Commerce Commission such enlarged powers as will make its decrees authoritative in cases of disputed rates. This attitude of the Senate serves to give color to the oft-repeated charge that the Senate, as a whole, is owned by the railroad corporations of the country. Of course this charge is not true in its entirety, and without qualification. But there is undoubtedly enough truth in it to serve as a basis for all sorts of ugly charges and rumors reflecting directly or indirectly upon the integrity of the Senate, and to destroy in a large degree the prestige of that once great legislative body.

The term "once great" is used in this connection advisedly, for there is no successful denying that the Senate of the United States has lost prestige immeasurably within the past few years. There was a time when to be a Senator of the United States was an honor hardly second to that of being President of the United States. It need hardly be said that such is not the case today. The prestige and honor of the Senate have steadily declined, at such a rate that if the decline continues it will be only a question of time when there will be none so poor to do it reverence. This decadence of a body once highly honored is not to be wondered at in the least when we consider the methods which are practiced in a good number of the States of the Union in the election of United States Senators.

It is a notorious fact that railroad lobbies and railroad influences are responsible for the election of a large proportion—and unfortunately an increasing proportion—of the members of the United States Senate. Is it reasonable to suppose that the man will not serve the master who has placed him in a position of power and responsibility? Can we reasonably expect the stream to rise higher than its source? We know something of the power of railroad influences to dictate the election of United States Senators in California. And we know that it is an unmixed, unmitigated evil.

It is intimated that the President will call Congress together in extraordinary session about October 1, to take up this and other questions that in his opinion require attention before the convening of the regular session in December. It will be somewhat surprising if the President consents to put off the calling of the extra session until October, with his well-known views concerning the importance and the pressing nature of the rate question. It has been quite generally assumed that the President would call Congress together in extra session very soon after adjournment March 4, in case of the failure of the present Congress to pass a freight-rate bill. But the President probably knows what he is about in this matter, and there is no doubt that he will do what seems to him to be for the best.

Referring to the case of little Mary Dreibilies, the Chinese child who has been refused a landing in San Francisco, it is more than likely that the immigration officers will set up as a defense of their cruelty the plea that their action is no more heartless than was that of the people who are responsible for having christened the poor kid with such a hoodoo of a name.

The fact that George Washington never told a lie is perhaps one of the principal reasons why a discerning providence placed him in an age that was destined to be so far removed from the present era which does not consider a virtue of that kind as an absolute necessity.

King Leopold of Belgium has succeeded in collecting a debt through the Brussels Court of Appeals. The incident is of no world-importance, perhaps, but it reminds us of the fact that there was a time when Kings didn't have to go to so much trouble to get money.

In his interview with a reporter of The Times, John W. Gates spoke with great ease and sangfroid on an astonishingly large and varied number of subjects. But it is money that talks, and John has every pocket in his clothes stuffed full with it.

With the Legislatures of seventeen different States and the Federal government also on its trail, it is perhaps not saying too much to assert that the Standard Oil Company is about to have the time of its life.

Although no reports on the subject have been received during the past few days, it is perhaps reasonable to suppose that most of those eastern railway trains that were lost in snowdrifts have now been found.

The local patrons of Ascot Park having been relieved of their last sou markee, the appearance of John W. Gates on the scene must be regarded in the nature of a welcome incident by the touts and bookmakers.

The force of example is a powerful influence in this world, but the young man who starts out to imitate John W. Gates in his gambling career stands one chance out of a thousand to succeed. The other nine hundred and ninety-nine chances are likely to land him either in the poor house, the asylum or the penitentiary.

Speaking of new drinks, isn't it rather remarkable that no one has yet invented a decoction to be called a zemsky sobor? It ought to be a winner for the "horrible next morning."

George Washington accepted the Presidency with great reluctance, and the probabilities are that if he were now alive he would feel that way even more so.

On the other hand, it is just possible that the Russians do not need a zemsky sobor any worse than the Czar needs a bracer.

A case of "sore toe."

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

"Il Trovatore."

The Savage company scored a greater success last night with "Il Trovatore" than at the opening with "Lohengrin"—and this, too, with tenor, Joseph Sheehan out of the cast. The fine performance was principally due to the splendid assignment of principals. A fashionable audience filled every seat, and many stood at the rear of the house.

The triumph of the evening was won by Marion Ivell, in the role of Azucena. Miss Ivell, besides possessing a tremendous dramatic contralto voice, has marked talent as an emotional actress, and her portrayal of the old gypsy woman was vivid with dramatic fire and fury. Her make-up was no less a success than the rest, for it portrayed a homely, unkempt gypsy hag—at times hideous in the reality of the impersonation. Ivell's voice is of peculiar quality and great range, running from a rich and powerful chest register below middle C to heights not attainable by some sopranos. Intensely, tremendous vitality and artistic force are the keynotes of her portrayal. She is a genuine "grand-opera" artist, meriting the distinction in the fullest sense of the word.

And next came Winifred Goff, singing Count di Luna, with a velvety tone of beautifully sustained quality—though of rather uneven nature in the very first scenes. Goff's baritone art is another pillar in the structure of principals upon which the celebrity of the company is built. His aria in the second act was the object of enthusiastic bravos and unstinted applause from all parts of the theater.

Jean Lane Brooks impersonated Leonora. She is a little body, with a brilliant soprano voice of true tonal qualifications, and a fair share of histrionic talent. Her various arias were encored heartily—a number of them several times.

Wegener sang Manrico. Poor, overworked Wegener! Big, handsome fellow, an ideal heroic tenor in person, his voice is tired out, run down, and pitifully strained in almost every scene. Sheehan, the ultra-resplendent luminary, is almost voiceless from a sudden cold, and Wegener is the only remaining man in the company with Manrico in his repertoire. They say that for days Wegener has been taking Sheehan's parts, singing himself fairly into exhaustion. He opened as Lohengrin, and exhibited a throat strained and tired. This very afternoon he must sing Tannhauser. Wegener went at his part with heroic vigor, and extracted from his remaining voice all there was in it. His willingness and manly endeavor are certainly to be commended. Here's hoping a good rest for him after today's matinée.

Francis Boyle, the other basso of the company, made his first appearance in the small part of Ferrando. Mr. Emmanuel directed, and though the orchestra—"Verdi's big twanging guitar," as Richard Wagner called it—seldom got off the exact beat, the anvil chorus did, with a clanging concatenated uncertainty that made the conductor fairly rise in his chair.

The scenic equipment of "Trovatore" excelled that given "Lohengrin."

This afternoon "Tannhauser," with Bennett, Wegener, Reunyson and Goff as principals.

Tonight "Carmen." Marion Ivell in the name-part, and Reginald Roberts, the heralded lyric tenor of the company, in the role of Don José.

New Trombone.

The concert of the Ellery Band will be given at the Chutes Theater tonight when the following programme will be presented. "William Tell" overture, "Peer Gynt" suite, Liszt's "Second Rhapsodie," Beethoven's "Sonata Patetica," and the grand fantasie from "Pagliacci." The occasion will be rendered more than usually interesting by the début of Mr. Ellery's new trombone soloist, Sig. Liborio Lomonte, who will play the "Cujus Animam" from Rossini's "Stabat Mater."

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The Central Avenue Congregational Church has decided that it must have a larger building, better located, although it is but a short time since its present edifice was considerably enlarged. They have purchased two lots, a tract 115x150 feet, at the northeast corner of East Twenty-eighth and Paloma streets for the new site. Their property at the corner of Central avenue and Twenty-eighth streets is offered for sale at $9000, and the building will be torn down and utilized in the construction of the new building, which is to cost from $12,000 to $15,000. This church will receive a considerable increase in its membership through the recent revival meetings, as fifty or more card signers have expressed a preference for that denomination.

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A land where all alike are free,
And honest Labor bears no stain;

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In thought and worship, heart and soul,
Where Truth attains its lofty Dream
And Justice claims its rightful goal!

The blood of valiant heroes flowed
O'er ice-bound hill and frozen field,
Unnumbered hearts to Right bestowed
The only gift they had to yield,

The gift of life, with which was bought
The freedom that today we love;
And thus our Liberty was wrought,
And thus its emblem waves above!

For one there was who led the fight,
And who—a loyal leader—died,
Who dared defend a nation's right
Whatever fate in turn betide.

Through all of life the people's wrong
Inflamed his true and noble heart;
He was the master of the throng,
And yet of each and all a part.

No love of pow'r, no greed of spoil,
Impelled him ever to betray;
Or hold his sacred cause at bay.

And so he led our nation on
To glory—Freedom, Justice, Love,
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AN EVANGELIST'S TRIBUTE.

To The Times:
Firm advocate of fearless truth,
Defender of the brave and just,
Strong enemy to greed and fraud,
Real friend to man, from age to youth.

In what is wrought (God [illegible] here,)
In what is found in hearts [illegible] clean,
In what must in us all be [illegible]
Of love and fellowship and [illegible]

Thy white and generous page [illegible] played
The noble part of brotherhood [illegible]
Where blazoned words of [illegible] good
High on the walls of [illegible] stayed.

Thy tactful terms and fitting [illegible]
Have brought to men [illegible] call
Of ardent speech and song [illegible]
The message of eternal [illegible]

H. R. P.

IT TELLS OF PROGRESS.

The Los Angeles Times [illegible] forth in a magnificent, [illegible] page number, of which a [illegible] tion has been sent to [illegible] It tells not only about [illegible] the Pasadena Rose Tournament, all about the progress and [illegible] of Southern California, in which includes not only the counties [illegible] Tehachepi,, but other ones [illegible] erly, such as Fresno and Tulare, in all thirteen in all. The [illegible] nacious personality of Editor Harrison Gray Otis permeates the [illegible] Angeles is credited with that [illegible] lation, and with being [illegible] out than any like city. It [illegible] premacy in educational matters, [illegible] pecially in having an [illegible] for backward pupils in the [illegible] San Francisco Hebrew.

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Inter-Urban Railway
The best watches [illegible] buy are made by the [illegible] Waltham Watch Co[illegible]
A good watch to [illegible] jeweled adjusted [illegible] such as are used on [illegible] ways by Engineers and [illegible] tors. These watches [illegible] perfect time and [illegible] Inspection.
Our prices will [illegible] They are now made [illegible] interesting to you. [illegible] one on credit if you [illegible]
We also have all [illegible] grades in 19, 21, and [illegible] movements.
MONTGOMERY [illegible]
...Jewelers.
SPRING AND THIRD
"Sign of the Big Clock"

AT once shapely, graceful and durable are the new Gibson and Sailor Ties. Suitable for general out-door wear.
Wetherby-K[illegible]
Style is [illegible] to utility in the Spring shapes of [illegible] walking boots. [illegible] lasts and leathers.
Since 1858

Charming Waists:...
of white Japanese silk, correct and dainty in cut, design and finish, $2.50 to $6.
James P. Cooper
Formerly Callis & Cooper
322 South Broadway.

Making Men's Shirts to Order : : :
That is our business—to make them in our own way and they are ready when promised.
Largest line of fabrics on the Coast. Let us show you.
Machin Shirt Co.
High Grade Shirt Makers
124 South Spring Street

L. A. Optical
Leading Opticians
Good reading [illegible] the eye by our [illegible]
Broadway.

TRAGEDY OF THE SLU

Infatuated Swiss Atten[illegible] Double Killing.

Woman Escapes by Jum[illegible] Through Window.

Bullet Through Neck [illegible] Marcacci's Life.

Why?
Because the woman he lov[illegible] ferred a life of shame and [illegible] blessedness and repulsed his pr[illegible] of matrimony—that is why Pete[illegible] cacci tried to murder the woma[illegible] whom he was infatuated and the[illegible] mitted suicide. The tragedy o[illegible] at the Eden Hotel, corner of Al[illegible] Alameda streets, yesterday aft[illegible]
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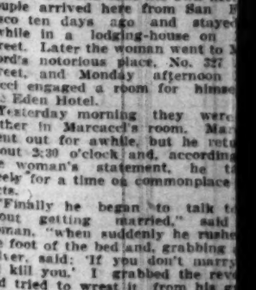

LAURA WILLIAMS
Who jumped from a window to esca[illegible] ing murdered.

the half-world, leaped through a [illegible] ond-story window, taking sash an[illegible] with her, rolled down an awning [illegible] dropped to the pavement, just a[illegible] lover, Peter Marcacci, foiled [illegible] prey, turned a revolver on himself [illegible] fired a bullet through his jugular [illegible]
Marcacci dropped on the floor o[illegible] room and died almost instantly.
Though stunned and consider[illegible] bruised by her fall, the woman [illegible] not seriously injured. Marcacci [illegible] two shots at her as she fled th[illegible] the window, but both went wi[illegible] their mark.
The shooting followed by the [illegible] ng leap of the woman who was a[illegible] is only a light wrapper, occurre[illegible] 2:30 o'clock and attracted such [illegible] enormous crowd that the police ex[illegible] eaced difficulty in keeping the s[illegible] clear. The building was compl[illegible] overrun by the morbid mob, and [illegible] after a determined effort by a dozen [illegible] more policemen were the corridors [illegible] rooms finally cleared.

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Of love and fellowship and
Thy white and generous
played
The noble part of brotherhood,
Where blazoned words of
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High on the walls of faith
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Thy tactful terms and fitting
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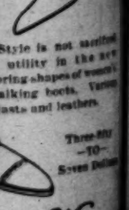

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TRAGEDY OF THE SLUMS

Infatuated Swiss Attempts a Double Killing.

Woman Escapes by Jumping Through Window.

Bullet Through Neck Ends Marcacci's Life.

WHY?

Because the woman he loved preferred a life of shame and single-blessedness and repulsed his proposals of matrimony—that is why Peter Marcacci tried to murder the woman with whom he was infatuated and then committed suicide. The tragedy occurred at the Eden Hotel, corner of Aliso and Alameda streets, yesterday afternoon. Wildly fleeing from her paramour as he was trying to murder her, Laura Williams, a San Francisco woman of

LAURA WILLIAMS
Who jumped from a window to escape being murdered.

the half-world, leaped through a second-story window, taking sash and all with her, rolled down an awning and dropped to the pavement, just as her lover, Peter Marcacci, foiled of his prey, turned a revolver on himself and fired a bullet through his jugular vein.

Marcacci dropped on the floor of the room and died almost instantly.

Though stunned and considerably bruised by her fall, the woman was not seriously injured. Marcacci fired two shots at her as she fled through the window, but both went wide of their mark.

The shooting followed by the thrill-leap of the woman who was attired only a light wrapper, occurred at 11 o'clock and attracted such an immense crowd that the police experienced difficulty in keeping the streets clear. The building was completely overrun by the morbid mob, and only after a determined effort by a dozen or more policemen were the corridors and rooms finally cleared.

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"Then I screamed and dashed for the window as he fired at me a second time. I didn't wait to raise the sash, but went right through it. I rolled over the shed and fell unconscious to the street. I believe he thought he had killed me and that's why he shot himself."

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Marcacci's third shot was fired immediately after the woman jumped, and when the room was entered by Patrolman Story a few moments later, the man was found lying dead on the floor.

The woman was taken into a near-by restaurant, where restoratives were applied. Later she was sent to the Receiving Hospital, where the surgeons found she was suffering from shock and numerous bruises.

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HEEDS NOT THE ANGRY WATERS BUT WADES RIGHT ON.

Oil Jobber Declares She Has Kept Her Agreement With the Union Company, Despite Charges of Conspiring With the Standard—She Puts up Bond.

Gold dust—not oil—is called for, to soothe the troubled waters that are tossing about the feet of Mrs. E. A. Summers, Los Angeles' oil queen.

For the modest sum of $25,000 the Union Oil Company would cry: "Peace! Be still," and the waves of litigation would subside.

But Mrs. Summers is a canny queen; she proposes to wade right on, securely calm in an attitude of innocent disdain.

As everybody knows, Mrs. Summers is one of the biggest oil brokers in California. Among her hundreds of clients in this city is the Los Angeles Railway Company, with whom she has an exclusive contract. The Union Oil Company, claiming that Mrs. Summers has broken an agreement by which she was to buy from that corporation certain quantities of oil with which to supply the Los Angeles Railway, has sued her for $25,000 damages, and alleges that she is in a secret deal with the Standard to "throw" the Union.

Within the last few days the Union caused more than fifty attachments to issue against properties owned and contracts controlled by the oil queen—to secure the Union in case it won a verdict. Now, however, Mrs. Summers has put up bond, and perforce the most important of these attachments have been released. She has produced cash to meet all demands meanwhile, and throws down the gauntlet to the big company.

Mrs. Summers refuses to talk, beyond the calm statement that she has kept her agreement with the Union to the letter, and is quite willing to let the courts proceed to so decide.

Oil men's ears are acock. They smell a gingery battle.

PERSONAL.

F. R. Connell of Chicago, manager of the Santa Fé's California tourist excursions, is in the city.

T. C. Peck, assistant general passenger agent of the Salt Lake line, is expected home today from a three weeks' stay in Chicago.

E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fé, came to Los Angeles yesterday from his winter home at Santa Barbara. He will remain a day or two.

The reason that Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate is so nourishing is because it is a pure product of the nutritious cocoa bean. Ask your doctor if he can name any combination of nourishment that is richer than Ghirardelli's.

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Women's night gowns of excellent domet flannel, cut generously full and long; yoke back and front and lay-down collar, finished with fine braid; some with silk frogs. Were $1.75. Dollar, now, to hurry them out.

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(Second Floor)

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(Third Floor)

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The Spring display which fills this large department is a showing which is a revelation in ready-to-wear apparel. Each individual offering is of special importance to someone—perhaps to you. Every qualification of perfect attire is met here; styles are exclusive, quality highest and the prices unusually low—considering the character of the merchandise.

A dozen descriptions of stylish Spring suits follow—some one of which should appeal to your individual taste.

$25 For a black and white shepherd check suit; short fitted coat; double-breasted; fancy collar, inlaid with red Panne velvet, black braid trimmed; new pleated skirt, walking length.

$25 Up-to-date suit of green mixed English goods; vest effect of Persian braid, trimmed with gilt buttons; wide girdle; new umbrella skirt.

$25 Suit of wine-colored Panama, blouse jacket; leg o' mutton sleeves; lined with changeable taffeta silk; new very full umbrella skirt, walking length.

$40 Suit of white mohair with black hair line checks; fancy blouse; Persian collar, braid and button trimmed; girdle of white silk folds; lining of white taffeta; large leg o' mutton sleeves, pleated into cuff at wrist; very full umbrella skirt.

$25 Suit of cream and brown shepherd check, blouse jacket, trimmed with fancy braid, inlaid with velvet; wide girdle; flounce skirt, panel front.

$35 Short blouse suit, made of green Panama; vest front of fancy stitched tan velvet; deep tailored girdle; leg o' mutton shirred sleeves; stitched cuff of taffeta; changeable taffeta lining; pleated umbrella skirt.

$35 Worsted suit of fancy light tan broken plaid; blouse jacket in peplum effect; deep girdle; fancy vest front, ribbon trimmed; shirred full sleeve; full pleated skirt.

$37.50 Brown voile suit; short blouse shirred on to fancy embroidery trimmed yoke; girdle of changeable silk folds with large metal buckle; tab ornaments; lined with changeable taffeta; new walking length pleated skirt.

$25 Fancy black Panama suit, jacket in blouse effect; stitched girdle, mutton-leg sleeves and new umbrella skirt.

$47.50 Fancy suit of rich brown Panama; blouse coat; button trimmed, with silk braid forming collar and vest; silk girdle; full umbrella skirt.

$55 Brown checked suit; pleated blouse jacket; mutton-leg sleeve with deep tucked cuff, collar and vest front Persian braid trimmed; wide circular skirt with tucked yoke; double flounce effect, of 3 tucks each.

$67.50 An extremely handsome suit of gray, green and white checked goods; shirred blouse coat, with pipings of green taffeta; short, full sleeve; fancy white pique pleated vest with lace insertion; full circular skirt; stitched bands at bottom, piped with green taffeta.

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Under the personal direction of Mr. J. J. Grafton, of wide experience in Mexican Tours, the Santa Fe has arranged for an 18 day Tour, leaving Los Angeles and other Southern California points on March 7th next.

One day will be spent at Grand Canyon of Arizona, where the hospitality of "El Tovar," the new Santa Fe Hotel, will be enjoyed.

En route to the City of Mexico a side trip will be taken to Guanajuto, one of the most interesting cities in Mexico, and a view of which is on exhibition at the Santa Fe Office, 200 South Spring Street, where itineraries, tickets, sleeping-car reservations, etc., may be obtained.

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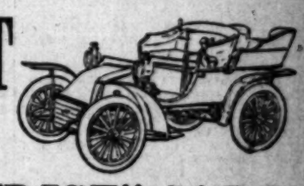

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STUCK TO THE LIPS IN MUD-FILLED PIPE.

CORONA, Feb. 21.—Crouching in mud and slime to his lips, tangled in a network of roots, and unable to move, in a 28-inch cement underground pipe, was the predicament in which Fred Langhlin found himself this afternoon. He was within a hairsbreadth of perishing.

Langhlin is one of a gang of men employed in cleaning out the Temescal Water Company's lower pipe line. The most difficult piece of work was encountered opposite J. J. Kelly's ranch on the Temescal road, where was "struck a snag." Walnut roots had worked their way through a series of cracks into the pipe, where, with sediment and water, the growth of roots, some of which were as thick as a man's arm, had filled the pipe for about twenty feet.

Langhlin, when about 400 feet from the manhole, reached this obstruction, which he began cutting and throwing behind him.

Becoming exhausted, he discovered to his horror that he could neither move forward nor backward, but was a prisoner in a close tangle. Lusty calls explained the critical situation to his fellow-workers at the manhole. After digging to the pipe and breaking it a man was lowered and found there were eight feet of roots to cut away to reach Langhlin.

When finally pulled out Langhlin's clothes were nearly torn from him, and he was covered withh mud from head to foot.

Although nearly stifled and violently sick when brought to the surface, he recovered after the workmen had groomed him down with gunny sacks and furnished him with dry clothing.

NEW VINEYARD.

A large consignment of grape cuttings was received today by the managers of Cerrito Rancho. The cuttings will be set on the butte which gives the property the name, El Cerrito Rancho.

The Poinsettia Whist Club was entertained last evening by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scoville.

The Jolly Whist Club met this evening with Mrs. J. J. Schliesman.

Mrs. John Alden and son, Samuel Alden of Brockton, Mass., are guests of L. E. Alden and family. M. A. Packard and wife of Brockton are with Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Drinkwater.

William Riddell has gone to Goldfield, Nev.

Charles Corkhill left yesterday for Las Vegas, Nev.

H. A. Morse and family of Downieville are visiting Earl McDonald and mother.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

STANDARD RIGS FOR CARLSBAD.

BEAUMONT MEN GOING AFTER OIL IN EARNEST.

Snow Has Retarded Development in New Mexico—One of Deepest Wells in California Brought in at Lompoc. Another Well Brought in at El Caguas, Mex.

The Mount Bros.' Oil Company of Beaumont has ordered two standard rigs shipped from the Texas fields to Carlsbad, where they will be erected on the company's lease near Gyp Creek, adjoining the property of the Los Angeles companies in the field. The Mount brothers began drilling with a light rig some two months ago, getting to a depth of 280 feet when their tools were lost in the hole, and they were forced to suspend operations. Being unable to recover the tools, they abandoned the well in which, it is said, they found a very small quantity of oil seepage, and will start over again in two new places. Their former experience has evidently taught them what was seen by every California oil man who visited Carlsbad, namely, that the nature of the country demands the use of the heavy standard rig used in this State.

The latest reports from Carlsbad say that there have been heavy snows, and the weather has kept back an possible attempt at immediate development. The local companies in the field are still engaged on their preliminaries. The Penasco and Otero have been formally incorporated, and have large holdings in the district. There are now four local corporations interested.

It is of some interest to note that the property in the State of Chihuahua along the route of the Stillwell Railroad, where W. R. Hearst and his associates are preparing to drill, lies almost due south of Carlsbad, with what has been considered by some a probable oil district around Fort Stockton, Tex., intervening about midway. While no oil except seepage has been brought to light on this line, south of the Colorado fields, there are some outcroppings and indications at different points through Eastern New Mexico, Western Texas and Eastern Chihuahua.

WELL AT LOMPOC.

The Lompoc Oil and Development Company, operating seven miles south of Lompoc, in the Santa Barbara fields, has just brought in a well that is one of the deepest in the State, 3626 feet. Work has been going on for about three years. Some oil was struck at 1200 feet, but not in commercial quantities. The company persisted, despite many difficulties with water entering the hole and met with final success, shutting off the water and getting a good flowing well. The owners are chiefly residents of Lompoc.

WELL IN MEXICO.

A dispatch from Mexico City says that the Oil Fields of Mexico Company, in which a number of Southern California people are interested, has brought in another well at El Caguas, State of Vera Cruz. The new well came in at a depth of 1810 feet, and is flowing at a rate of thirty barrels an hour, being superior to the ones brought in before on the property. The oil is lighter than that at Ebano, and the company already has entered into a contract with some of the Mexican railroads to furnish fuel.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21, 1905.

LOS ANGELES CITY.

C A Smith to George Caliva, lot 99, C A Smith's third addition, $10.

S W Price to Jennie M Davis, part lot 12, block A, Beaudry tract, $10.

E M Irwin and M M Irwin to F F Dominguez, lot 20, block B, Shaffer tract, $10.

Los Angeles Building and Loan Association to Fernand Parmentier, lot 29, block R, Menlo Park subdivision No 3, $10.

Herman F Seils and Mary Seils to Mary J Christian, lot 22, block 33, Los Angeles Improvement Co's subdivision, $1950.

Caroline Erhardt (known as Karoline Erhardt) and Ernest Erhardt to Los Angeles Stoneware and Sewer Pipe Co, lot 2, 3 and 4, Ben P Coffin's subdivision, $10.

Doctor Charles W Allen to L N Evans and Mary E Evans, lot 12, Los Angeles Building Company tract, $10.

Clara Bryson Clattern, May Titus Nowton, executrix of estate of Mary H Newton, deceased, and individual, to Gottlieb Hallwachs, lot 25, Mary H Newton tract, $200.

George W Stimson and Jennie W Stimson to Henriette Spengler, lot 16, Sixth Street and Lucas Avenue tract, $10.

Union Trust Company of Los Angeles to B L Baldridge and Sarah M Baldridge, lots 122 and 123, Country Club Terrace, $10.

James H Edmonds and Marie E Edmonds to Joseph Burkhard, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 9, 11 and 12, block 2 Edmonds Adams Street tract $10.

Henry C Peet and Cordie I Peet to Mrs Carrie M Owen lot 45, Clark & Bryan's Westmoreland tract, $10.

Eben W Bramble, Mary Loraine Bramble and J A Brown to A J Wanborn, portion of lots 1, 2, 3, Dietz Adams Street tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Louis Clawson, reconveyance of lots 55, 57 and 61, Clawson Villa tract, $10.

Louise Clawson to Leah J Seely, lots 55, 57, Clawson Villa tract, $10.

Maud H Lacy and Emma L Lacy to John Crosby, Jr, lot 21 and part lot 22, Kughen & Casterlines subdivision, $10.

John Crosby, Jr, and Etta Crosby to Warren W Fisher, lot 21 and part lot 22, Kughen & Casterlinn's subdivision, $10.

Charles H Mansfield and Roswell P Mansfield to William L Dunbough, portion of block 119, Ord's Survey, $1.

Harrison Miller and Nancy E Miller to Pacific Electric Land Company, lot 6, block 1, Yorba & Paige tract, $10.

J H Miller to same, lot 7, block 1, same, $10.

Henry A Zech and Matilda Zech to Ida May Garland, part lot 1, block 79, Ord's Survey, $10.

Anna Lechlitner and W H Lechlitner to Albert P Hill, lot 9, block 3, Sentous tract, $10.

A P Hill and Cora Hill to Elizabeth Borick, lot 9, block 3, Sentous tract, $2000.

A K Crawford, Effie Crawford, F N Pauly and S Jennie Pauly to Clara Manger, lot on west line of San Pedro street 128.27 feet north of north line of Third street, $10.

Elizabeth E Thomas to Luella M Dowling, lot 4, E E Thomas Home tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Charles Joseph Ball, lot 11, block C, Wilshire Boulevard Heights, $10.

Mrs L Hubert Marcotte and F A Marcotte to Oscar Runion, lot 22, Daily & Mettler tract, $10.

Edward A Jacobson and Lillie S Jacobson to Ellen C Martin, lot 11, subdivision of block T, Mount Pleasant tract, $10.

W E Ingram and Hattie E Ingram to Geo Diddock, lot 11, block G, Central Park tract, $10.

Mrs Annie J Moore, M R Moore, Lizzie V Carpenter, P C Carpenter, A S Rankin, Mary E Moore and C F Moore to L M Valentine, lots 21 and 22, Wm Smith's subdivision, $2000.

Mrs Lucinda I Nash to John E F Bohning, lot 3, block B, Desmoyer tract, $2400.

Jessie Armstrong to W E Emerson, lot 19, block 16; lot 5, block 18, and lot 11, block 19, all in Brooklyn tract, $10.

Frederick W Westmeyer and Edith Westmeyer to Margaret F Gilick and Nani Gilick, part lots 1 and 2, block L, Knob Hill tract, $10.

Arnold Armstrong and Eva M Armstrong to Hattie M Mason and Bert S Mason, lot 75, Circle at Bryson Avenue and Adams Street tract, $10.

Frank A Valle and Louisa S Valle to Granville MacGowan, lot 1, block 5, Frank Sabichi tract, $10.

William F Cleland and Leonora A Cleland to Pasadena Investment Company, lot 29, Dunsmoor tract, $10.

Eliza Barnes to F H Ellers, lot 10, block 8, Byram Patterson Miller subdivision, $10.

Edward A D Christopher and Clara V Christopher to George P Thompson, part lot 29, block D, West on Angeles, $10.

Charles Mettler, Bertha Mettler, A W Forrasster, M Ella Forrestex to Edwin C Kroeck, lot 4, block 13, Adams Street Arlington Heights tract, $10.

Charles Mettler, lot 14, block 13, and lot 19, block 12, Adams Street Arlington Heights tract, $10.

William F Cleland and Leonora A Cleland to Pasadena Investment Company, lot 29, Dunsmoor tract, $10.

Elizabeth Barlow and Bertha Barlow to S M Kanzig, lot 8, block 24, De Soto Heights, $300.

G A Cortelyou to W B Judson, lots 34 to 46, block K, E L A View tract, $10.

Anna M Spence to Jennie Conant, south 1 foot of lot 15, block L, Bonnie Brae tract, $2.

James W Pierce to Frances C Pierce, part lot 5, Griffin's reserve 3-acre tract, gift.

J H Phelps and Addie E Phelps to A C Brainober, lot 21, block 6, Park tract, $2500.

Stone-Blades Company, S C Hubbell and Lora A Hubbell to Mrs W C Rocho, lots 129 and 130, Carnation Terrace tract.

William George Blewett and Lucia L Blewett to W L Brent, lot 32, block L, Knob Hill tract, $10.

Evelyn M Force to J Frances Harmon and Cecelia C Harmon, part lot 21, block T, West Los Angeles, $10.

George A Compere to Amy Compere, lot 19, block 28, C V Hall tract, $1.

Eddy Ames Hamilton and Nellie Elizabeth Hamilton to John S Myers and Lou Myers, lot 33, West Moreland Heights tract, $800.

Elizabeth Leech to Charlotte L Tanner, part lots 47 and 49, block 23, Angeleno Heights, $10.

Henry Putney and Nina P Wade to Carl L Ostberg and Cora L Ostberg, lots 1 and 2, block 27, C V Hall tract, $2000.

W S Collins and Mary A Collins et Mrs Catherine Hummel, lot 19, Swan subdivision, $10.

Agnes L Getz and Keturah C Getz to Allin L Rhodes, part lots 41 and 43, block A, Dunkelberger tract, $10.

Allin L Rhodes to Agnes L Getz and Keturah C Getz, same as above, $10.

Louis Bouttier to D L Marshar, agreement as to party wall between west line of lot 27, block Y, subdivision of Mott tract.

Adelaide Bouttier, formerly Adelaide Glovy, to Louis Bouttier, lot 25, block 2, Park tract, $1.

Frances J Palmer vs City of Los Angeles, decree quieting title in plaintiff, lot 23, block 2, Sanchez tract.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to W A Polkinghorn, lots 5 and 6, block 2, Adams-street Arlington Heights tract, $10.

ALAMITOS.

Alamitos Land Co to Sarah Minshall—Lots 17 and 18, block G, Mira Mar tract, $10.

ALAMITOS TRACT.

Henry R Smith to G L Junod—Part of farm lot 75, $10.

Louis Hazelwood Smith to Leopold H Smith and Esther Wadlow—Lot L and part of lots 2 and 4, Densmore Villa lots, $10.

ALPINE SPRINGS.

Virginia L Palmer to Charles H Wagner—Part sec 13 5 N 11 W, $10.

Charles H Wagener and Imogene Wagener to Alpine Springs L & W Co—Part sec 13 5 N 11 W, $10.

Alpine Springs L & W Co to Mary A Brubaker—Part sec 13 5 N 11 W, $700.

ALTADENA.

Title Insurance and Trust Co to Isabelle C Ewing—Reconveyance of part of lot 16, map No 2, $10.

Isabelle C Ewing to Basil Bailey Collins and Louise J Collins—Part of same, $10.

AZUSA.

John H Wise to Mrs Carry Maedny—Lots 11 and 12, block 51, $100.

BROADACRES.

R H Diltz and Mary D Riltz to J E Longacre—Lots 11 and 12, block 19, $1.

J E Longacre and Hettie B Longacre to R H Diltz—Part of lots 11 and 12, block 19, $10.

Same to H L Jones—Part of lot 12, block 19.

DOLGEVILLE.

Dolgeville Land Co and San Gabriel Wine Co to Madelene Jirkowsky—Lot 2, block 2, subdivision No. 1, $10.

Same to Jennie C McLeod—Lot 29, block 11, sub No. 2, $10.

GARDENA.

Alva A Cary and Cinda N Cary to Frances E Park—Part of farm lot 36, Gardena tract, $10.

HOLLYWOOD.

John A Aldritt, P W Croake and William F McCann to Minnie Mary Breese—Agreement to convey lot 77, Croake & McCann's Gem of Hollywood tract, $500.

Joseph F Grace and Eulalide Grass, husband and wife, to Mary A Dennis—Lot 1 and part lot 2, Vista tract, $10.

HUNTINGTON PARK ANNEX.

Title Insurance and Trust Co to Mrs Mary C Stine—Lot 23, block G, $250.

INGLEWOOD.

Etta Conner Travis to Sophie Werisch, lot 22, block 219, Orange Orchard tract, $150.

LOMITA PARK.

L C Brand and Mary Louise Brand to Oliver S Bond and Clara A Bond, lots 19, 34, 76, 78, 82, 121, 138, 161 and 176, Grider & Hamilton's Lomita Park, $1.

LONG BEACH.

B P Williams and Wiley Tindolph to Lillian C Norton, lots 1 to 28, block 5 and lot 28, block 5, Meadow Glen tract, lots 6, 13 and 15, block 91, $700.

Lillian C Norton to George D Sandford, lots 13 and 15, block 91, $366.

Same to Mrs L M Stocking, lot 5, block 91, $300.

C H Collins and Lucy E Collins to R J Soper, lots 25 and 26, block 47, $725.

Ella C Carlin and J P Carlin to J P Curtis and Charlotte Curtis, part lot B, block 5, State 36 tract, $10.

Mrs Louise Chapman to James P Curtis and Charlotte Curtis, part lot1, block 39, $10.

Emily A Brown to J P Curtis and Charlotte Curtis, lot 39, block 2, Strain & Lewis sub, $10.

Lizzie Willard and Charles Willard to J P Curtis and Charlotte Curtis, lot 7, block 29, $10.

John Parkinson and Meta B Parkinson to Florence B Cramton, lots 2, 4 and 5 and part lots 2 and 6, Alfred James tract, $10.

Mary D Steen and E D Steen to Rufus W Dodge, lot 8, Steen's sub, $1450.

Same to same, lots 7 and 12, Steen's sub, $800.

Mary B Parker and F A Parker to I R Vandewater, lots 1, 3 and 5, block 23, $10.

Clara Stevens to Robert Reese and Lowella Reese, lots 17 and 19, block 1, Atlantic Ave add, $10.

J P Curtis and Charlotte Curtis to J P Carlin and Ella C Carlin, lots 1 and 3, block A, Hendrickson tract, $10.

C Peterson and Kjerstine Peterson to Mortimer J Ely, part lots 14 and 16, block 61, $10.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

M L Wicks to James Cook, portion of sec 9, 2 S, 13 W, $10.

Martha E Harrell, Andrew J Harrell and Victoria Trask vs D C McGarvin et al, decree quieting title in Martha E Harrell, Andrew J Harrell and in Victoria Trask.

MONROVIA.

Estate of William S Rankin, deceased, decree of distribution to Mary Rankin, J S Rankin, Bryan Rankin and Anderson, Lizzie V. Carpenter, Mary E Moore, undivided one-half of lots 21 and 22, Smith's addition, mortgage for $1200, dated 8-11-03.

OCEAN PARK.

E G Feeback and Margaret Feeback to J F Hamilton, lot 21, block K, Villa tract, $10.

Abbot Kinney to Miss Mary E Null and Miss Ella Roberts, part of lots 7 and 9, block 8, Golden Bay tract, $10.

Amanda F Wiggins and Frank Wiggins to Henry Clay Breeden, part lot 18, block 6, Golden Bay tract, $10.

ORANGE SLOPE TRACT.

N M Paulson to Wesley S Parker and Elizabeth Parker, lots 24 and 25, block H, Flanagan's subdivision, $800.

PACIFIC FARMS.

C M Kiggens and Emma N Kiggens to J S Trout, block 57, $10.

PARK PLACE.

Huntington Land and Improvement Co to Edward A D Christopher, lot 2, block 1, $10.

PASADENA.

E R Pierce to Emma J Winslow and W L Winslow, lot 2, Mosher's tract, $10.

Same to Lucien C Turner, portion of Bristol tract in division B, subdivision of San Gabriel Orange Growers' Association, $10.

Lucien C Turner to John G Plank and Mary E Plank, portion of same, $10.

Jane E Harden and John R Harden to John McDonald, lot 16 Joseph Wallace's sub, $10.

George R Royse and May C Royse to Manuel W Halley, lot 35, Hayes & Furst's sub, $1500.

Marie L Anderson and James C Anderson to Katherine I Larsen, lot 13 and part of lot 12, block 1, Doolittle & Talbot's subdivision, $10.

Helen Tilton (formerly Helen Rabert) and J H Tilton to James A Ogden and Julius A Ogden, lot 48, F J Brannen tract, $10.

Estate of Annie H Fenn, deceased, order confirming sale to Viola B Haskell, lot 5, block 1, M D Painter's subdivision.

S W Garretson and Mattie C Garretson to Prentice B Moore, lots 9 and 10, Lincoln-avenue Syndicate tract, $5500.

PASADENA VILLA TRACT.

M A Forster to A L Ramage, lot 15, block 23, and part lot 12, block 27, $80.

Same to J A Ramage, lot 4, block 26, $40.

PLAYA DEL REY.

Charles F Heimie to Charles Pollock, lots 17 and 18, block 7, $10.

Charles Pollock to H J Benedict, lots 17 and 18, block 7, $10.

REDONDO.

Redondo Improvement Company to Harry Fuller Skinner, lot 31, block 180, Redondo Beach, $550.

SAN RAFAEL RANCH.

Oliver S Bond, Clara A Bond and State Bank and Trust Company to C Brand, part of 569.09-acre tract in Rancho San Rafael, allotted to Andrew Glassell and A B Chapman.

SANTA GERTRUDES RANCH.

Caroline Nimmo, formerly Caroline Perring, and B F Nimmo to Benjamin R Redfield, tract of land in said ranch, $2500.

SANTA MONICA.

Estate of Phillip James Ward, deceased, order confirming sale to Elizabeth M C Ninde, lot 27 and part of lot 25, block 19, Crescent Bay tract.

C E St John and Daisy V St John to Edith Johnston, lot 1, block 132, $10.

T G Smith and Margaret J Smith to Seymour P Wilson, lots 18 and 19, block E, Santa Fe tract, $10.

Antoinette W Stephens to Augustine Kendall, part lot 6, Rossiind tract, $10.

SAWTELLE.

Jennie R Harris and William P Harris to Ralph E Ward, part of block 4, Barrett Villa tract, $1000.

SHERMAN.

Richard Waitts to Angelina Watts, lots 10 and 11, block C, Sherman, and lot 26, Larramond addition to same, $10.

SHORT LINE BEACH.

Charles C Hurd and Annie T Beach to Emma L Sheer, lot 18, block 10, subdivision No 1, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to W A Polkinghorn, lot 9, block 24, subdivision No 3, $10.

SOUTH PASADENA.

Raymond Improvement Company to William Henry Kishbaugh and Catherine M Kishbaugh, lot 11, block K, Raymond Villa tract, No 1, $10.

Edwin Cawston and Edith M Cawston to Hugh R Thornton, lot 17, block A, Edwin Cawston tract, $10.

WATTS JUNCTION TRACT.

Golden State Realty Company to Mrs Dora Berger, lots 26 and 27, $220.

VIENNA-NICE EXPRESS WRECK.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—An accident has occurred to the Vienna-Nice express near Vienna station, says a Herald dispatch from Milan, Italy. A freight train had just drawn up outside the station when the express came into collision with the rear trucks. There was a panic among the passengers, most of whom were asleep at the time. Only three persons were injured—an Austrian and two railway employés.

State Gets Battle Flags Today.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 21.—Interesting exercises will take place in the Assembly chamber at noon tomorrow, when the officers of the First California Volunteers will present to the State, through Gov. Pardee, the battle flags and colors carried by the regiment through the Philippines. Tomorrow night, Washington's birthday will be observed with appropriate exercises, to be conducted by the members of both houses, in the Assembly chamber.

FIRE CLEANS TOO WELL.

San Bernardino Woman Tries to Remove Coal Oil from Floor by Burning It.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 21.—Mrs. C. R. Simmons set fire to her residence at First and Mount Vernon avenue this afternoon in a strange manner. Her little child had spilled the contents of a kerosene can on the floor, and, thinking that the best way to clean up the oil was by fire, the mother ignited the saturated floor.

In an instant the room was a mass of flames. The place was almost destroyed, entailing a loss estimated at $1200.

THIEF TAKES BIG PUMP.

Two Hundred Dollar Piece of Machinery Gone and No Trace in Evidence.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ANAHEIM, Feb. 21.—J. J. Fagin, who resides west of town, reports the nerviest theft on record in Orange county. He has a pumping plant near his residence. When he went out to inspect it yesterday he found that the centrifugal pump, a valuable piece of machinery, was missing.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, United States Geological Survey, Reclamation Service, Washington, D. C., November 28, 1904. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the United States Reclamation Service, Phoenix, Arizona, until 9 o'clock a.m., February 1, 1905, for the construction of a masonry dam and two bridges on Salt River, about 7 miles east of Phoenix, Arizona. The dam will contain about 250,000 cubic yards of masonry. Specifications, form of proposals, and other data may be inspected at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Reclamation Service, Washington, D. C., or at the office of the Project engineer of the Reclamation Service, Phoenix, Ariz. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for $10,000, payable to the order of the Secretary of the Interior, as a guaranty that the bidder will, if successful, promptly execute a satisfactory contract and furnish bond in the sum of $100,000 for the faithful performance of the work. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, to accept one part and reject the other, and to waive technical defects, as the interests of the service may require. Bidders are invited to be present. Proposals must be marked "Proposal for the construction of the Salt River Dam, Salt River, Arizona," and addressed to F. H. COCK, Secretary. Time of opening bids or work described in foregoing advertisement is hereby extended until February 15, 1905, at 9 o'clock p.m., at Phoenix, Arizona. F. H. HITCHCOCK, Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR WAGON-SHED. OFFICE of Constructing Quartermaster, San Diego, Cal., Feb. 21, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock a.m., March 22, 1905, and then opened, for the construction of a wagon-shed at Fort Rosecrans, Cal. Information and blanks furnished on application at this office and at office of Chief Quartermaster, San Francisco, Cal. U.S. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Wagon-shed," and addressed to Capt. R. H. Rolfe, Qr.-Mr.

NEWS GLEANINGS.

The Council and residents of the northeast section are working on a project for handling the storm water in the northeast part. The City Engineer thinks the most feasible plan will cost $50,000 and would involve the construction of a great conduit across the north part of town, or else reconstructing the northeast wash. A committee will investigate.

Edward Hollins was arrested yesterday by S.P.C.A. Officer DeBiron, who says that Hollins was driving a horse that had a raw sore on its back. Hollins told a hard luck story about a sick wife, and this will be investigated

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"There is really nothing to report as yet," said President Dobbins of the Cycleway Company last night. "I only made this application at this time because I wished to have the matter straightened out before the changes take place in the membership of the Council, as there are now Councilmen who are familiar with the cycleway and a new Council might not understand it.

"I do expect to make some extension of the cycleway, but just now I am not care to state what these will be, but may have something to announce later on."

It is unlikely that Dobbins would be engaging for a terminal depot and extending his business ventures with a view to carrying out the original plan, that of making it an elevated affair for bicycles. Such a project would be ridiculous. Besides the portion of the structure which yet stands, existing from Glendale street to Raymond Hill is very rickety. Dobbins has a right of way from Glendale to the south, through South Pasadena, to Park, across the hills, southerly to Garvanza and along the east side of the Arroyo Seco nearly into the city of Los Angeles. When he comes into a railway he will have a new and direct route which will open up a country that has been without railway facilities.

ELECTION FARCE.

The city of Pasadena entertained itself all day yesterday from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., among those present were the anti-non-Prohibitionists and seventy-seven. The affair was the primary election which these two parties indulged in, though they could not boast having, though they could have saved the city $400 by nominating their candidates for the April municipal election by petition as will be done by the non-partisans or Republicans. And out of yesterday's votes cost the city about $6, for just 102 votes were cast. If several times that number had been cast, the cost would have been the same for the election because the judges, inspectors, polling places, ballots, etc., have to be provided.

That the affair was a farce is shown by the vote. In the first precinct the Prohibitionists cast 3 votes and the Socialists 6; second precinct, Prohibitionist 6; third precinct, Prohibitionist 15; fourth precinct, Prohibitionist 4; Social 4; fifth precinct, Prohibitionist 4; Social 4; sixth precinct; Prohibitionist 1, Social 8; seventh precinct, Prohibitionist 2, Social 1; eighth precinct, Prohibitionist 1; Social 5; ninth precinct, Prohibitionist 2, Social 14; tenth precinct, Prohibitionist 7, Social 8.

The following delegates were elected to the Prohibition convention: First precinct, C. H. Parsons, N. H. Culver, J. R. Boykin; second precinct, A. J. Smith, C. F. Thompson, G. M. Gammon, J. A. Mather, C. V. Sturrevant; third precinct, Harmon Cooke, O. H. Kenyon Warren, Josiah Hall; fourth precinct, nine; fifth precinct, Mrs. Campbell, C. H. Rhodes; sixth precinct, G. W. Tuttle, J. Salter; seventh precinct, G. A. Darling, A. H. Smith, A. E. Nash; eighth precinct, Mrs. J. Patterson, J. W. May, H. W. Simpson; ninth precinct, A. L. Lamb, W. V. Lee, W. Lamb, A. Frye; tenth precinct, D. M. Snyder, B. A. Jones, J. R. Townsend, B. A. Curl.

The Socialists elected the following delegates: First precinct, A. Summers, Mrs. Sam; second precinct, L. A. Hill, Mrs. Patton, Elias Smith; third precinct, L. Beal, D. F. Delopp, B. H. Hall, T. C. Stem, J. E. Allen; fourth precinct, O. H. Krause, E. Gardner, C. Sherwin; fifth precinct, Amos Gill, George Strebel; sixth precinct, Mrs. McKee, William Silver, A. Caldwell, R. Weity; seventh precinct, S. A. Smith; eighth precinct, H. Palmer, C. Miller; ninth precinct, H. McCrindle, J. C. Murrill, E. C. Nichols, Ralph Smith; tenth precinct, N. A. Nicholl, B. Stetson, C. J. Lowe.

BIG PAVING SCHEME.

At the City Council meeting yesterday a committee from the West Side Improvement Association asked that Colorado street from Delacy street to Orange Grove avenue be paved with asphalt, excepting the Colorado street hill, which it is said should be paved with blocks of granite. Chairman C. D. Daggett and Colis Stewart of the committee were present to urge the scheme's adoption. Daggett admitted that he had not secured the signatures of property owners, but he thought the municipality should take up the project as one of general importance. Mayor Vedder, however, insinuated that the city was too poor to do it, and the matter was referred to a proper committee for a report.

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Most of the business houses will be closed today by order of the Merchants' Association.

C. D. Daggett and colleagues are working hard on the Horse Show project. They expect to hold the show at Tournament Park the latter part of next month.

James W. Raymond died yesterday morning at No. 85 North East Molino avenue. He was a retired Minneapolis capitalist, and leaves a widow and one son.

The death of Mrs. Emma Smith, wife of Milo H. Smith, occurred Monday evening at No. 55 North Wilson avenue. She was a native of Tennessee, aged 23 years. The funeral will be held at the home this morning at 11 o'clock.

Henry R. Angelo, the contractor mentioned in yesterday morning's dispatches, as having gotten into serious trouble with his wife's family at Newark, N. J., was well known here, having resided for several months last year at Hotel Maryland.

Auction of Japanese art goods at Kuranaga's, 10 a.m., 2 and 7 p.m.

Hand bags and Bibles. Morris-Thurston Co.

Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.

Big bargains at Pennel's.

LONG BEACH.

SEASON'S OPENING TODAY.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 21.—The celebration of Washington's birthday on the beach Wednesday will mark the formal opening of the season's entertainment under control of the Seaside Water Company. The programme will begin at 10:30 a.m. and will comprise aquatic and athletic events, a big baby show, closing with a display of 1,500 pieces of Japanese day fireworks. The entries for the tub and sack races and greased pole climbing are filling rapidly, and a successful day is assured. Two concerts by the Long Beach Marine Band will be one of the chief features of the day.

CANADIANS GATHER.

Over 150 former residents of Canada from surrounding cities spent the day at the beach in a hearty, old-fashioned reunion. They were met by the local committee and given a cordial welcome. At 11:30 o'clock tallyhos, autos and private rigs made quite a parade as, loaded with the party, they made the trip to Signal Hill, where the visitors were given a glimpse of the surrounding beauties of Long Beach. At 1:30 p.m. a banquet was given at Hotel Del Mar. J. G. Latimer acted as toastmaster. To the toast, "The King," all present arose and sang "God Save the King." F. A. Knight responded to "The President," and ex-Mayor John Arbuthnot of Winnipeg to "Our Guests." William Gundry and Rev. Mr. Gordon responded to "Our Canadian Homes." After the banquet the guests scattered about the city and beach, enjoying the afternoon according to their own inclinations.

BOARD OF TRADE SPREAD.

The second annual banquet of the Board of Trade at Hotel Riviera tonight was a success. Covers were laid for 200 guests, and the menu discussed an excellent one. Dr. L. A. Pierce presided, and under his watchful eye there was not a dull moment. Short talks were made by prominent members of the organization all relative to the good work accomplished in the past, as shown by the phenomenal growth of Long Beach from a village to a city now demanding a special charter and forecasting an equally brilliant future. Several pledges and new memberships were secured by Secretary Miller in the course of the evening.

TOLD ON SEASHORE.

Long Beach chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was inspected last night by District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Fedelia Anderson of Los Angeles, and tonight tendered a banquet to Most Worthy Matron Mrs. Pauline Dohinann of Stockton and Grand Patron Charles Willis of Pasadena.

Mrs. Sarah A. McKay, aged 77, died yesterday at the home of her daughter Mrs. George Hart, on Signal Hill. She was a native of New York. She came to Long Beach in September on a visit. The remains were shipped this evening to Spokane, Wash., for burial.

Richard Loynes, the brick-yard man, lost four horses from his corral last Saturday, and having found two trace of them, thinks they have been stolen. Two are blacks, one a bay and the fourth a roan colt.

At a business meeting and company drill of Co. H, Seventh Regiment, tonight, Capt. A. H. Austin appointed Lynn G. Bodine, Harry Lee, Clarence Adams and George H. Denning, duty sergeants. At the next meeting two sergeants and six corporals will be named.

The local lodge of Modern Woodmen gave a social and dance last night for the benefit of Neighbor Schissler of Kansas, recently disabled in Los Angeles, and a neat sum was realized.

Unknown persons entered the fire department room back of the City Hall last night and stole 100 feet of new rope belonging to the hook and ladder apparatus.

The handicap whist tournament at the Cosmopolitan Club rooms closed last night with Scheurer and Queen winning first honors and Thomas and Thomas, Craven and Hill and Mumselman and Osborn tied for second place.

There will be an exodus of Iowa people to Eastlake Park tomorrow and estimates are made that nearly 500 will attend from Long Beach.

St. Luke's Ladies Guild will give a colonial supper and entertainment at the parish house Wednesday evening, the ladies appearing in costume, some of them real old garments worn by their grandmothers. A feature of the programme will be the appearance of Miss Maud Lyon, a soprano soloist of Boston.

LORDSBURG.

JOLTING A CONTRACTOR.

LORDSBURG, Feb. 21.—The trustees of the Bonita High School district, comprising Lordsburg, San Dimas and La Verne, will tolerate no shoddy work or delay on the part of the contractor, who put up the building, E. H. Rose of Riverside. At a meeting of the trustees today, attended by Architect Bleisner of Los Angeles, Rose was notified that unless the building is completed and all unsatisfactory work made good by Saturday the trustees will have it done at the expense of the contractor. Nine thousand dollars was held back on the contract price, so that the taxpayers will be fully secured. There has been much dissatisfaction expressed with this building.

A committee of three leading citizens—D. C. Teague, L. C. Meredith and E. T. Keiser—had examined the books of Frank H. Massey, trustee and clerk of the board, and certified to the excellent manner in which they have been kept. Mr. Massey, whose business will take him out of town a great deal, has sent his resignation to County Superintendent Keppel, and it is expected that L. S. Thacker will be appointed to the vacancy. This appointment would give general satisfaction in the district.

J. S. Billheimer today sold his residence to Dr. J. E. Hubble for $3000. Mr. Billheimer will remove to Los Angeles.

SHE SHOOTS AT PROWLER.

DRIVES SKULKING MARAUDER AWAY FROM HER TENT.

San Pedro Woman Says She Wasn't Frightened a Bit When Invader Cut Hole in Cloth Dwelling Where She Slept, but Declares It Made Her "Good and Mad."

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 21.—A midnight prowler, who disturbed the slumbers of Mrs. Sadie Radcliff and her little daughter, aged about 11, will probably refrain from repeating the performance. A bullet from a Colt's six-shooter, fired by the woman in his direction, made the marauder show a clean pair of heels.

Mrs. Radcliff lives in a tent on Beacon street between Eighth and Ninth, and last night was awakened by someone trying to force open the door. The person then walked around to the rear of the tent and with a sharp knife cut a long slit in the canvas just over the bed where Mrs. Radcliff and her little daughter had been sleeping. By this time the woman was wide awake, and seizing her revolver fired through the tent, but it is not thought she hit the prowler.

Mrs. Radcliff is a comely, nervy product of the West.

"I only regret," she said, "that my shot did not take effect. I was not in the least frightened, but was good and mad, as I am a hard-working woman and have no one here to protect me. I have a shotgun in the tent which I have loaded, and will use if necessary.

"There was some satisfaction in seeing the rascal run," she concluded.

HARBOR DRIFT.

Admiral Louis Kempff, U.S.N., was here yesterday and assisted by Inspectors Guthrie and Dolan inspected the Banning Company's passenger steamer Cabrillo. It is stated that the Cabrillo was found in prime condition.

A petition containing a great number of signers, asking the Board of City Trustees to secure arc lights for the residence section was presented tonight. The board will ask for bids at once.

An excellent sixteen-page special edition has been issued by the San Pedro News, containing much information concerning San Pedro and profusely illustrated.

WHITTIER.

WATER BOND ELECTION CALLED

WHITTIER, Feb. 21—The City Trustees last night voted to call a special election on March 14, to vote $110,000 to purchase and install an entirely new and up-to-date water system. The new plant is to include new artesian wells, pumping plant of 2,000,000 gallons a day capacity, new mains and laterals and a large reservoir on higher land than that occupied by the present one. When the present system was installed Whittier people thought they had solved the water problem for many years to come. They reckoned, however, without considering the phenomenal growth possible in California towns. The Quaker Colony has doubled its population twice in the last four years, and the supply considered so generous is now hardly adequate for present needs. No opposition to the water bonds has manifested itself, and they will without doubt carry with a handsome majority.

TIGHT LIQUOR LAWS.

The Trustees last night also passed the same stringent liquor ordinance which is on the statutes of the city of Long Beach. This ordinance was voted upon affirmatively by the Council which preceded this one in office, but the former [illegible] or neglected to affix his signature, making the ordinance invalid.

After the regular meeting of the Trustees the Public Library Board met with them and discussed the site for the new city library, promised by Andrew Carnegie. Two free sites were offered—one in the northern part of Greenleaf avenue, and one on South Comstock avenue. Neither apparently met with the entire approval of the public, and it was decided to purchase the third site under consideration. This is just opposite Hotel Greenleaf, and will cost $6000. Of this amount the Trustees will provide half by a special tax of 2 mills on the dollar. The remaining $3000 is to be raised by a public subscription in charge of the library trustees. In addition to this special tax levy, which is for this year only, the city will expend about $3000 yearly for the support of the institution.

OCEAN PARK.

SEWER OUTFALL TROUBLES.

OCEAN PARK, Feb. 21.—It is likely that there will soon be held another special election for the purpose of voting bonds for the repair and extension of the Santa Monica outfall sewer, which discharges beneath the wharf at Pier avenue. R. W. Armstrong, as a representative citizen of the south side appeared last night before the Santa Monica City Trustees and pointed out the necessity for the speedy repair of the sewer. He said it is a menace to health and happiness in its present condition.

The Trustees said they were powerless to act, as the people who are now complaining had refused only last August to vote the bonds which the City Trustees asked with which to repair the sewer and extend it further seaward. The city is without funds with which to make the extensive repairs needed, and under the law is barred from voting for bonds on the same subject within the year, except upon a majority petition of the electors. This petition it is said will be prepared and will receive the signatures of those who in August opposed the bond issue. They realize that this is the only way to secure the speedy extension of the sewer. While voting on this subject it is likely that the people will also be asked to vote bonds for the construction of fire engine houses, one on the south and one on the north side of the city.

City Engineer James of Santa Monica reports that a number of the piles in the sewer wharf are in a weakened condition, and are liable to go out on short notice. It is urged that they should be redriven for the protection of the outfall sewer. The Abbot Kinney Co. reports from Venice that great damage was done to the Windward-avenue pier during the recent high tides, by floating pieces of the disintegrating wharf at Pier avenue butting into it. Venice is in no good humor, and warns the city not to let its piles stray so far from home. In the meantime, the boisterous tides of last night and today carried away another 150-foot section of the pier. The city of Santa Monica will perhaps not repair the pier until the job is done thoroughly. The outfall sewer is broken 800 feet from shore, and the work of repairing the break and extending the pipe and pier several hundred feet further to sea will be difficult as well as expensive.

FUNDS NOT SUFFICIENT.

The Ocean Park City Trustees also at their meeting last night wrestled with the sewer problem. Recently this city voted $20,000 bonds to be used in establishing a septic sewer system. Surveys have been made, and the engineers have the plans about ready for adoption. But here comes a stumbling block; the system will cost more by far than the funds in sight. The septic tank, trunk line and emergency outfall into the sea will cost more than the $20,000, and some other mode of raising the money for the laterals will have to be provided. The Trustees propose to solve this dilemma by the creation of an assessment district and bonding the property under the Vrooman Act for the construction of the laterals, etc. But as certain parts of the city, notably Venice, and the Short Line Beach subdivisions have their own sewer systems the affair gives promise of becoming somewhat complicated. In any event the city has instructed its officers to advertise for bids for the construction of the tanks.

Nicholas Russell, a painter from The Palms who threw a rock and hit a newsboy in the head yesterday evening, was arrested for battery, and after spending the night in jail, entered a plea of guilty when arraigned today before City Recorder Guidinger of Santa Monica. Russell said he was drunk when he hurt the boy. He will spend twenty days in the County Jail.

A Masonic committee is soliciting stock for the construction of a Masonic temple of three stories on the sand. A location on Marine street is being considered. Half a hundred signatures have been secured for a lodge here, and it is thought its institution will not be long delayed.

The pile driver arrived today, and will begin work without delay in repairing the damage recently done by the waves to the Pier-avenue retion pier. Several hundred feet of the structure have been washed away.

The attraction at Playa del Rey tomorrow night will be a masquerade ball in the pavilion. There will be a large attendance from this beach. Ocean Park is observing the holiday giving a Valley Forge dancing party at the clubhouse tonight.

SANTA MONICA.

TRYING FOR LIGHT.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 21.—The City Trustees at their meeting last night thrashed a deal of old straw on the street-lighting contract. The city now has arc lights furnished by the Edison Company at an average cost of $7 per month per lamp, but the contract has expired. The matter of a new contract had been referred to the Committee of the Whole, and that body recommended the signing of a new contract for three years at $6.75. The opinion of the City Attorney was that no such contract could be entered into without advertising for bids. Bids will probably be solicited soon.

S. W. Koontz tendered his resignation as superintendent of Woodlawn Cemetery and John I. Demaris was elected to fill the vacancy.

GAS TALK.

The franchise for a new gas company as about to be advertised by the City Trustees, is to run for a period of twenty-one years, and under its provisions the city will receive free gas for such lights as it may require. After five years it will receive 2 per cent. of the gross receipts. The new company pledges itself to expend not less than $5000 by July 1, and $20,000 within a year. As a matter of fact, the promoters say their plant will cost $60,000, and they promise to be prepared to supply gas by July 1. The date set for the sale of the franchise is March 27.

SCHOOLS OF SUNDAY.

The Sunday-school institute for this district, to be held in the Methodist Church here next Sunday, will open at 2 p.m. Among those who will participate are George H. Crawford of Sawtelle, J. B. McLaughlin, Mrs. I. N. Devore, J. F. Drake of Pasadena, Mrs. Sarah Sawyer, Hugh C. Gibson, William Sanders and G. L. Webb.

Wilmot Griffiss, Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Barker, New York; T. P. Denign, Mrs. M. Denign, Chicago; Mrs. R. D. Robinson, Los Angeles; Mrs. L. Ganahl, San Francisco; Mrs. N. B. Updike, Mrs. G. S. Babcock, Miss Noble Thorn, Omaha, are at the Arcadia.

MONROVIA.

TAP WATER WELL UP.

MONROVIA, Feb. 21.—Water at a depth of sixty feet is a phenomenal strike that assumes more importance to the ranchmen here than a strike of ore at Goldfield. The well that furnished the wonder reached this depth after the first heavy rainfall and it is not yet known if the flow is seepage or whether the immediate district has a higher water level than other parts of the valley. It is on high land, the Hill Point ranch near the mouth of the Santa Anita Cañon. Fourteen feet of water in the wells impedes boring and pumping machinery to test the flow will be installed at an early date. R. W. Daniels, who sunk the well, finds his land specially adapted to vegetables through its proximity to the hills and increased water supply will greatly enlarge the output.

Col. I. W. Polk is the possessor of another well the flow of which at a depth of 114 feet has held up the boring. This is in Lower Duarte, near California avenue. Polk's neighbors are watching closely the results of his water development, and if pumping proves up his well, contracts for several on the surrounding ranches doubtless will be let. Formerly dry farming has been followed in this vicinity. The soil and climate are adapted to walnuts and deciduous fruits, however, and with water the ranchers would put in more profitable crops than barley and oats, to which they have been confined in their planting.

TEA PLANTER BUYS.

Ten acres in Monrovia has been purchased by Hugh Sutherland, a wealthy tea planter of China, who proposes to return to this city when he closes up his oriental interests, and build a home. The consideration is said to be in the neighborhood of $10,000. A three-acre piece on Violet avenue will be utilized for his home and private park. This is very close to the mountains and commands a fine view. Other acreage is on Lemon avenue and Banana. Two of the tracts have fair buildings upon them.

The pupils of the Orange Avenue School gave this afternoon, an entertainment in celebration of Washington's birthday. Appropriate recitations and songs were proficiently rendered.

Capt. A. H. Johnson, former president of the Board of Trustees, is one of the Iowans who will be at Eastlake Park tomorrow to meet visiting friends. He will lead a large delegation from Monrovia, whose proportion of people of Iowan extraction is large.

HOLLYWOOD.

INTEREST IN REVIVAL.

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 21.—There was an increased attendance at the evangelistic meeting tonight. A union choir of twenty-four voices from the churches of Hollywood and Sherman under the direction of H. Henry Collison, led the singing.

The funeral of the five-year-old son of Oscar T. Wyatt of Sherman was held this afternoon in the church of the Blessed Sacrament.

Jack Cromer returned today from a two weeks' trip to the mountains, carrying his left hand in a sling, on account of the accidental discharge of a revolver. Two fingers and the palm of the hand are badly injured.

The Union High School gave an attractive programme of music, declamation and addresses this afternoon. H. Henry Collison sang two solos which were greatly appreciated.

The Grant school will picnic at the old ostrich farm Wednesday.

H. K. Pense and wife and J. C. Stevens of Denver were Hollywood visitors yesterday.

GLENDORA.

FRUIT ACTIVITIES.

GLENDORA, Feb. 21.—The A.C.G. Fruit Association has purchased the lemon house adjoining the orange house, and is converting it into an addition to the orange house. A new grader is being put in and an entirely new force has been secured with ten new packers.

The large warehouse being built on the corner of Bennet and Michigan avenues by J. A. Lewis is almost completed.

Prof. Lough lectured at Foresters' Hall Saturday evening to a good-sized audience, on the subject of temperance.

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Chicago, St. Louis or Cincinnati, the Pennsylvania lines carry their passengers to Pittsburgh, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and other eastern points. Inquire about it at the new Pennsylvania passenger office, 115 West Fourth street, Los Angeles. Frank Widney is the agent.—[Adv.

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DECIDED TO DIE.

George Thon Swallowed Strychnine Because He Was Tired of Life. Fancied Troubles.

Returning from a trip downtown at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, George Thon, a nurseryman of No. 2759 Dorchester street, walked into his house, swallowed the contents of a vial of strychnine and then coolly informed his wife that he had taken poison because he wanted to die.

At first Mrs. Thon refused to believe her husband's words, as he had threatened to end his life on other occasions, but a moment later when he toppled over on the bed she hurriedly called a physician. Dr. Abbe responded, but his efforts were unavailing. Fifteen minutes after swallowing the drug, Thon died.

Despondency and drink are given as the reason for Thon's act of self-destruction. He had brooded over troubles more fancied than real for many months, and the suicide occasioned no great surprise to his friends. He leaves a widow and family.

The remains were sent to Bresee Bros.' morgue, where an inquest will be held this morning.

Autographs at Auction.

That autographs are very uncertain property, and depend for their value upon a great many things besides their interest for collectors, is very clearly shown at the sale of the autograph collection of the late Surrogate J. H. V. Arnold. A holographic letter of Colley Cibber, described as "quaint," would seem to be extremely cheap at $24, but one from Henry Clay to the Governor of Kentucky, resigning his seat in Congress, undoubtedly authentic, would appear to have an intrinsic value much above a dollar and a half, especially when one of P. T. Barnum brought $5. The fact is, not many persons care for autographs, and very good ones will often scarcely repay the least expense of selling them unless something gives them a brief currency in connection with a revival of interest in the persons who wrote them. —[New York Times.

Indoor Contest.

The third indoor contest of the Y. M.C.A. for the all-around championship of the local association is scheduled for Friday night at the association quarters on South Hill street, beginning at 8:15 o'clock. The events to be decided and the local Y.M.C.A. records for the same are as follows:

Three standing broad jumps, 30ft. 4½in.; fence vault, 6ft. 7½in.; twelve-pound shot put, 46ft. 5in.; eighteen-foot rope climb, 6 2-5s.; running high jump, 5ft. 4½in.; quarter-mile potato race, 1m. 43s.

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KEPPEL TOOK CAUSTIC DOSE.

Tragic Death of Uncle of the County Superintendent.

Old Man Experimented With Carbolic Acid.

He Tried It as Remedy and It Proved Fatal.

Halbert Keppel, aged 74, uncle of Mark Keppel, County Superintendent of Schools, at whose home, No. 1055 Byram street, he had resided for the past three years, was found dead in his room late yesterday afternoon by Mrs Keppel. The body was lying on the floor near a chair from which he had fallen. Near by was a bottle containing carbolic acid, from which about two tablespoonfuls had been removed, and in a glass near the bottle was a spoon and a small portion of diluted acid.

These circumstances and the condition of the body left little doubt as to the cause of death, but the total absence of any motive for suicide, the known ignorance of the old man as to the caustic properties of the acid, and the further fact that he was very devout and at all times cheerful, leads to the belief that he used the acid as a remedy and took so much that in his weakened condition, death resulted.

No other person was in the house when Mr. Keppel died. Mrs. Mark Keppel had gone to Sherman for the afternoon. She left her uncle at the door and he bid her a cheerful good-by. After her departure he was seen working about the yard and spoke pleasantly to some of the neighbors. When Mrs. Keppel returned she missed him, and after calling him and receiving no response, she went to his room.

There on the floor she found his body. It was still warm and rigor mortis had not set in, indicating that he had been dead but a short time. A physician was summoned, but no human agency could restore life. The body was removed to the undertaking establishment of Robert Sharp & Sons, and on Thursday afternoon it will be sent to Gridley, Butte county, Cal., where the funeral will be held Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Keppel was a native of Holland. He came to the United States in 1845 and to California in 1855, taking up his residence in Butte county, where he amassed a fortune, which he afterwards lost when it was found that through some defect in the title of a big Spanish land grant, he was obliged to give up his holdings. He lived in that section of the State until 1893, and during the financial panic of that year another fortune which he had amassed was swept away. He then went to Keokuk, Iowa, and until three years ago resided with his brothers. Returning to California, he took up his home with his nephew, Mark Keppel, and resided there until his death. He leaves numerous relatives in the northern part of the State.

Mr. Keppel was a very devout man, always cheerful and in his modest way trying always to make others happier. Never at any time had he indicated by word or deed that he was tired of life. He suffered greatly at times from the effects of a sunstroke which he sustained a number of years ago, and to secure relief he habitually took many kinds of patent medicines. It is believed that some person told him that a small quantity of diluted carbolic acid would relieve him, and that in his ignorance of the nature of that poison he took too much.

The Coroner took charge of the body because death resulted without the attention of a physician. An inquest will be held today.

FOR FREE POLAND.

Natives of That Country and Descendants Form Local Patriotic and Benevolent Society.

With a claimant to the Polish throne residing in Los Angeles in the person of Col. John Sobieski, a direct descendant of the adored King John Sobieski; and with a good-sized colony of Polish residents who cling to the idea of eventual national freedom for the land of their nativity, there is local interest in the prospect of that nation again making a struggle for the reëstablishment of its own government.

A movement in this connection was a meeting on Saturday at the home of Max Rodaks, No. 820 Hemlock street, attended by a large number of Poles of this city and vicinity, which resulted in the organization of a "group" of the Polish National Alliance. This organization is spreading in the larger cities of the United States and gathering in patriotic members of that nationality.

The purpose of the organization is to foster the spirit of patriotism, both for the country which the Poles have adopted as their own, and for the unfortunate land which they have been forced to leave, and to give to each other mutual aid and comfort. Just what form their aid is to take in helping Poland to attain its desires for a national government is not expressed by the leaders of the local society.

The headquarters of this movement in the United States is at Chicago, where it is said there are 125,000 Poles. Over 50,000 Poles in other parts of the United States have been enlisted in the movement, it is said by the organizers, and efforts are to be made to extend the work to every settlement where they are congregated.

The meeting in this city was presided over by Leon Raab, and twenty charter members signed the roll. Officers were elected as follows: President, Theodore Sten; vice-president, Jan Wismewski; secretary, Max Rodaks; treasurer, Josef Nowakowski.

Colds Laid to Pneumonia.

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

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The Southern Pacific will sell every Tuesday, round-trip tickets for Brawley, Imperial and Calexico for $10.50; Indio, $5.80; Coachella, $6; Thermal, $4.20; Mecca, $3.55; good for going passage on day of sale only, and ten days for return. Stop-overs allowed at or east of Beaumont in either direction. Rates varying somewhat in effect from Redlands, Riverside, San Bernardino, Colton, Ontario and Pomona. Full information can be obtained at Southern Pacific ticket office, 261 S. Spring st.

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Extra special values in "Royal" Granite Steel Ware, including 3 and 4-quart Tea Pots, 2, 3 and 4-quart Milk Kettles, and side handled fry pans; some slightly damaged, but values up to 60c. On sale 8 to 12 a.m. only, no mail or phone orders, at choice..... 15c

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PRICES ACTUALLY REDUCED TO ONE HALF AND LESS

The new spring goods will be received within the next ten days. We cannot carry any winter garments longer in stock though many of these wearables will be equally serviceable next year and all of them will be as much in style the coming spring as they were last, for garments are usually made for an entire season's run. Some of the lines will sell more quickly than others. Be first to purchase in order to get best selections. None of them will be in the store next Saturday night.

$30.00 Tailored Suits Reduced to **$15.00**

Are of cheviot in blue, black or brown; jackets 27 and 30-inch lengths, with or without vest fronts; trimmed with silk or velvet braid; the skirts kilted and plaited. Price reduced from $30 to, choice, $15.00.

$39.00 Tailored Suits Reduced to **$19.00**

Plain cheviots or fancy mixtures in blue, black or brown; vest front or coat styles; trimmed with silk, fancy braids or buttons; have satin lined jackets, plain plaited or kilted skirts. Reduced from $39.00 to, choice, $19.00.

$45.00 Tailored Suits Reduced to **$25.00**

Of fine broadcloth or cheviot; coat or blouse styles, jackets trimmed with braid or contrasting broadcloth and velvet; have plaited or fancy skirts. Reduced from $45.00 to $25.00.

$65.00 Tailored Suits Reduced to **$35.00**

Of fine broadcloths and cheviots, in fancy blouse or coat styles, some with vest fronts; are in walking or dress length; some of them all silk lined; are regular $65 values reduced to, choice, $35.

$1.00 Liberty Satins 69c

On Sale 8 a.m. to 12 m. Today Only

An Extra Special Offering of 1000 yards of 21-inch all-silk Liberty Satins, in shades of pink, Nile, turquoise, light blue, cream, also white and black; beautiful chiffon, satin face; very soft, will drape nicely and give the best of wear; all the rage now for evening dresses and waists; actual $1.00 value. On sale, 8 to 12 a.m., Wednesday only, at, per yard,

69c

$5.00 Walking Skirts Reduced to $2.98

They are of all wool; nicely made in latest style; are in the popular fancy mixtures; are trimmed with kilts and small buttons and have actually sold all season at $5.00. Now priced to clean up quickly

$2.98

$6.50 Wool Waists Reduced to $1.95

Are of all wool crash in royal blue, brown, red, light blue or white; trimmed with Taffeta silk bows and ball buttons; are correct in style; perfect in fit and finish and are reduced from $6.50 to, choice

$1.95

MAIN FLOOR.

$1 Flannelette Kimonas 50c

On Sale 8 to 12 a.m. Today Only

An extra Special offering of 600 Flannelette Kimonas or House Jackets; with sailor collars; a large assortment of patterns to choose from; regular $1 value, but priced for the one occasion only, 8 to 12 a.m. Wednesday at, each

50c

MAIN FLOOR.

$9.95 *For Velour Coats Reduced from $25.00*

They are of fine quality Velour in plain black; blouse or fitted styles; have heavy satin linings; will give exceptionally good service.

$15.00 *For Velour Coats Reduced from $35.00 and $45.00*

They are all black; in three-quarter length; some have Persian collars; all have fine linings, and are in a good assortment of sizes; sold regularly at $35.00 and $45.00.

$25.00 *For Velour Coats reduced from $45, $50 and $75*

The entire stock of these handsome Velour Coats in novelty styles; black or brown; plain or crush Velours; all elegantly made and have sold from $45.00 to $75.00 all season.

$15.00 *For Black Broadcloth Coats reduced from $35.00*

They are of excellent quality in the popular three-quarter length corset styles; 15 straps of self material; have fine satin linings and are perfect in fit and finish and regularly sold at $35.00.

$3.00 Suit and Chiffon Hats at $1.48

An Extra Special Offering for Wednesday only, consisting of about 25 dozen women's tailored Suit Hats, made of extra fine Jap Braids in all wanted colors and new, up-to-date shapes; trimmed with folds of velvet, ornaments and straw rosettes; also a small lot of those popular black chiffon and jet Braid Hats, in turban and large dress shapes, these being a small lot just received by express, and the same as those on sale last Wednesday, which were so quickly sold out; these latter require just a little trimming to complete them; all are worth regularly $3.00. For Wednesday only, at choice..... **$1.48**

SECOND FLOOR.

$2.00 and $2.50 Eiderdown Dressing Sacques at **98c**

Comfortable serviceable house garments cheaper than you could purchase the material by the yard. They are of all wool Eiderdown; pink or blue; nicely made and have sold regularly at $2.00 and $2.50. Now reduced to, choice

Women's $15.00 Kersey Jackets Reduced to $4.95

The colors are castor, blue or black; are all satin lined; are in three-quarter length; nicely made and are in good style. Have sold regularly at $15.00. Price now reduced to, choice

$4.95

Women's $35.00 Kersey Coats Reduced to $9.95

Are in the popular military style with deep capes; have elegant satin linings and there are just twenty coats in the lot but all of them regular $35 values reduced, to, choice

$9.95

$3.00 Foulard Silk Waists, **98c**

Just 35 of these waists in small polkadot patterns; blue or black grounds; all nicely made and sold regularly at $3.00. Price now reduced to, choice..... **98c**

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